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TUSCANIA'S DEATH LIST REDUCED TO 101

ATLANTA BOY LOSES LIFE WHEN AIRSHIP CRASHES TO GROUND

Lieut. Lofton H. Stamps and Lieutenant Dudley A. Loomis Are Burned to Death at Fort Sill.

STAMPS WAS MAKING FINAL TRAINING FLIGHT

Bride of Only Few Months, Who Was at Fort Sill With Husband, Is Bringing His Body to Rome, Ga.

Pinned beneath the wreckage of his blazing aeroplane, Lieutenant Lofton H. Stamps, of Atlanta and Rome, Ga., was burned to death at the Fort Sill School for Aerial Observers Thursday afternoon. The machine crashed to the ground from a height of 500 feet and burst into flames as it struck.

Lieutenant Dudley A. Loomis, pilot of the machine, was also burned to death.

Mrs. Stamps, bride of only a few months, was at Fort Sill with her husband when he was killed. She is bringing his body to Rome, Ga., the home of Lieutenant Stamps' parents, for funeral and interment.

Making Final Flight.

According to dispatches received Thursday night by The Constitution, the young lieutenant had just finished his training as an aerial observer and was making his final flight Thursday afternoon when the accident occurred. He and Lieutenant Loomis had been in the air for some time, when suddenly the engine of the plane failed, and the machine began to fall by the head.

The aeroplane was then at an elevation of 500 feet only, almost within hailing distance of comrades who watched from the ground. Lieutenant Loomis immediately saw the peril in which he and his companion were and struggled desperately to save the machine and their lives, attempting to make a spiral landing as the machine fell. But the plane toppled over and gaining momentum as it descended made a nose dive straight to the earth.

As the craft struck the ground it was shattered into a mass of wreckage, entangling its two passengers. The inflammable portions of the machine caught fire from the engine and almost instantly the entire wreck was wrapped in flames.

Fliers Rush to Aid.

Fellow fliers rushed to the wreck and worked heroically to extricate the two lieutenants from the twisted framework, but were unable to do so before their bodies were burned beyond recognition. The plane was almost completely destroyed by the flames.

Lofton Stamps was the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Stamps, of Rome, and is survived by his parents, and one sister, Miss Jennie Stamps. He was a nephew of Mrs. William Adkins, of Atlanta.

He came to Atlanta about three years ago and went to work for the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph company and later worked for the Retail Credit company.

When the officers' training camp was opened at Fort McPherson he entered training and was commissioned there, after which he was assigned to artillery at Camp Gordon. Last fall he was transferred to Fort Sill for training as an aerial observer.

Marries Chicago Girl.

Just before leaving for Oklahoma, he was married at the home of Mrs. L. E. Shelman, 513 Peachtree street, where he had lived while in Atlanta, to Miss Marjorie Todd, of Chicago.

Lieutenant Stamps was among eighteen young men who have responded to the colors from Mrs. Shelman's home. He had a wide circle of friends in Atlanta, who will regret his untimely death.

Lieutenant Stamps was 24 years old.

To Keep Your Outgo Below Your Income Read the Advertising in The Constitution

Don't Remain at the Mercy of Poor Gas

Perplexing, indeed, does the Atlanta housewife find her culinary problems these days. Her gas stove isn't to be relied upon any more! It's not giving the service it should—that she must have if she is to conduct that department of her household efficiently.

But, happily, she does not need to bother with the old stove when she cannot depend upon the fuel it requires. The hardware stores and electric shops can solve the problem. They've a number of cook stoves and ranges that can be relied upon to supply the needed heat—coal oil and electric ranges. These will render, in full measure, all the service that is expected from the gas stove. The dealers carry a number of makes. They are mentioning these stoves in their advertisements in The Constitution.

Housewives who are deploring the unsatisfactory gas service will do well to read these advertisements, and investigate the stoves they are offering. Any one of them is safe, easy to operate and thoroughly reliable. Atlanta dealers will guarantee that.

NOTE—The Constitution guarantees its readers an actual saving on every purchase made from Atlanta stores advertising their lowest prices in the pages of this newspaper.

Bodies of 44 Americans, In Mutilated Condition, Washed Ashore on Rocks

Identification Tags Had Not Yet Been Numbered, So All Will Be Buried in One Grave.

LIFE BOAT TROUBLE CAUSED MANY DEATHS

Thrilling Stories of Disaster and Harrowing Hours That Followed Are Told by Survivors.

An Irish Port, February 7.—The bodies of 44 of the missing 101 victims of the Tuscania disaster were washed up today in the rocks 15 miles from the scene of the torpedoing. All were Americans and their bodies were mutilated beyond recognition.

A pathetic feature is that, although all the victims wore tags, no identification numbers had been put on them because these Americans had not as yet been assigned to definite army units. Therefore, there is no way to identify them, and they will be buried in one grave.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS LINED UP ON DECK.

London, February 7.—Thomas Smith, of Glasgow, a boatswain's mate on the Tuscania, said the steamer was proceeding to an English port under convoy. "At 5:45 o'clock on Tuesday evening," he continued, "I was in number one room talking with a fellow boatswain when I heard a terrific explosion and felt the vessel heeling over.

"We commenced lowering boats on the starboard side. The soldiers were lined up on deck waiting for the boats. Unfortunately, many jumped overboard.

"I found the boat at number nine station, to which I proceeded, had been blown to pieces. I then helped to get boats 9-A, 9-B and 9-C away with full complements and the second officer got boats one to seven safely away. After seeing these launched I proceeded to the other deck, where I launched a raft. I picked up 14 soldiers and two of the ship's company who were swimming about. We had no oars and had to paddle along with our hands. We were picked up at 9 o'clock in the evening and landed Wednesday morning."

SURVIVORS PICKED UP BY PATROL BOATS.

The first survivors were landed at 4:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. From then until 7 a. m. many patrol boats arrived, each bringing a full complement of survivors, the number of whom by that time had reached 550, including 40 members of the crew.

All the medical men at Larne, on the eastern coast of Ireland, where some of the survivors were landed, were requisitioned.

There was sufficient time for removal of all those on board the Tuscania, as she remained afloat for about two hours after being torpedoed.

The Tuscania was one of a convoy of troop and provision ships which was entering what until recently were considered comparatively safe waters. The ships were within sight of land, which was just distinguishable in the dusk of evening, when a torpedo hit the Tuscania amidship. This was at about 7 o'clock.

The steamer took a heavy list which made proper lowering of the boats impracticable. Some men jumped into the sea. Others were thrown into the water when the boats were lowered.

The survivors are receiving every attention.

RAFTS THROWN OVER KILLED MANY MEN.

Sergeant F. C. Dubuque and Sergeant Muller, both of Brooklyn, were rescued from a raft by a coasting schooner.

Sergeant Dubuque said the boat to which he had been assigned was shattered by the explosion. He clambered over to the port side and was placed in a boat with ten or twelve other men.

When they had been lowered, half way down the ropes became disarranged. All were thrown into the water. There was a rather heavy sea, but the sergeant was able to swim to the stern of the liner and climbed on a raft. There he found Sergeant Muller.

Sergeant Dubuque said he saw many men in the sea. Collapsible rafts were thrown overboard to enable those who were struggling in the water to save themselves. Some of these rafts struck loaded boats. The sergeant said he believed quite a number must have been killed in this way.

The sergeant and the others on the raft were at the point of collapse when picked up, but they soon recovered. They are under the care of Dr Langers, of New York, who has been in the United States service for some time.

SEVERAL LIFEBOATS WERE CAPSIZED.

James Alson Turrington, of New Hampshire, a college student, said:

"I was on the upper deck when the torpedo struck the vessel on the starboard side. There was a terrific explosion. I went to the stairs to reach my station.

"The dynamo was blown up by the

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STATE RAIL BOARD PROBING QUALITY OF GAS IN ATLANTA

Officials of Atlanta Gas Co. Assert That It Is Impossible Now to Get Normal Supply of Oil.

RELIEF NOT IN SIGHT, DECLARES ARKWRIGHT

Company Refuses to Give Rebate to Consumers, and Council Probers Decide to Wait on Action of Commission.

The question of the quality of gas being served to its patrons by the Atlanta Gas company Thursday afternoon apparently sifted itself down to the question of whether or not the state railroad commission will order a reduction in the rate charged customers, pending the ability of the company to secure a normal supply of materials for the manufacture of gas.

Councilmen John S. McClelland, Claude Ashley and J. N. Renfroe, of the special gas committee of council, and Cecil M. Poole, city mechanical engineer, were present at the hearing, and vigorously urged that the commission should order the rate reduced.

Should Bear Reduction.

Mr. McClelland, speaking for the committee of council, declared that since the gas company is using only one gallon of oil where it admittedly would use four, if it could get the oil, is operating at a very considerable economy, which should enable the company to bear a reduction in rate until the quality of the gas can be improved.

Following the announcement by Preston Arkwright, vice president of the Atlanta Gas company, Thursday morning to the special committee of city council that the company has decided to give no rebate to its patrons on account of the quality of gas served during the last several weeks, the council committee decided to hold further action in abeyance until a decision was had from the state railroad commission, which had set for hearing at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon the petition of John W. Hammond, asking that the commission call upon the Gas company either to furnish a better quality of gas or to reduce its rate.

Quality of Gas Inferior.

Mr. Arkwright, Richard C. Congdon and H. M. Atkinson, appearing for the Gas company before the commission, admitted that the quality of the gas now being served by the company is inferior to the normal standard of the company's gas, and stated that the reason for this is that the company is unable to get its normal supply of oil for the manufacture of gas. Nor, they said, is there any immediate prospect of obtaining the normal supply of oil, though the action of the federal government in taking over control of the distribution of fuel oils may later result in the company's obtaining a supply through the priority system of distribution.

Mr. Arkwright, after giving a history of the service which the Atlanta

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NO MORE HEATLESS DAYS FOR GEORGIA

Jacksonville, Fla., February 7.—In so far as it relates to Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, North and South Carolina and Louisiana, the Meatless Monday order, which went into effect January 18, has been suspended.

This information was received here tonight by A. T. Williams, state fuel administrator, from Dr. H. A. Garfield, improved weather and transportation conditions being given as the reason for the suspension. Sections 1 and 10, the former relating to whom shall be given preference in the matter of coal, and the latter providing the penalty for noncompliance with the order, remain in force.

Dr. Garfield's telegram to Mr. Williams is as follows:

"In view of improved weather and transportation conditions, all provisions of regulation of January 17, 1918, excepting sections one and ten, are hereby suspended in so far as they relate to the following states: North Carolina, Tennessee, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana. Sections one and ten of regulation still remain in force."

EIGHT GEORGIA MEN ON U. S. TRANSPORT DESTROYED BY SUB

Lieutenant James R. Bost Sends Cable to His Relatives in Atlanta That He Escaped Injury.

NO WORD YET RECEIVED OF THE FATE OF WINN

Thomasville, Vienna, Valdosta, Winder and Other Sections of Georgia Represented in List.

Eight Georgians were on board the ill-fated United States transport Tuscania, which was sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Ireland, according to messages received from Washington last night.

The list as given out by the war department follows: First Lieutenant James R. Bost, Atlanta; Courtland S. Winn, Jr., of Atlanta; Corporal Charles H. Greer, Union Point; Charles D. Arendell, Jackson; Boyd E. Hancock, Thomasville; Robert Lee Malone, Valdosta; Allen W. Harris, Winder; Edward J. Peacock, Vienna.

No word has been received of the fate of these men with the exception of Lieutenant Bost, who sent a cable to his relatives in Atlanta Thursday that he had escaped uninjured.

Bost Well Known Here.

Lieutenant Bost, who was a member of the 158th Aero squadron, was practicing medicine in the west when the war broke out and at once volunteered for service.

He received his training in the first officers' training camp at Fort Oglethorpe and later was sent to Lake Charles, La., for further training.

In Atlanta he has a mother, Mrs. Martha Bost, who lives at 496 Piedmont avenue; a sister, Mrs. Ruth Lanier, and a brother, J. E. Bost, connected with the Rexall company, who lives at Georgia avenue and Capitol avenue.

Members of his family saw him last when he passed through Atlanta on a troop train one night during January. They went to the yards to see him and wish him good luck. The family had lived for years in Nashville and only recently moved to Atlanta.

No Word From Winn.

Courtland S. Winn, Jr., one of the most popular young men of Atlanta, son of former Mayor Courtland S. Winn, was one of the United States soldiers on board the ill-fated transport Tuscania. No word had reached Atlanta at a late hour last night as to whether he was included in the list of survivors or not.

It was definitely established in dispatches from Washington that Company D, Sixth battalion, Twentieth engineers, of which he is a member, was on board the vessel.

Courtland Winn, Jr., lived nearly all his life in Atlanta. He was a member of the graduating class of 1912 of Boys' High and followed this by taking the forestry course at the University of Georgia. He passed all his examinations with honors, and after completing the course stood a civil service examination for the government in which he ranked near the top in a class numbering thousands.

He later received the appointment as assistant forester at the Dakota national forest in South Dakota, where he was when war broke out. His government employment would have rendered him exempt from the draft, but he felt that this was no reason why he should not do his share of his country's fighting. He wired his father of his decision and Mr. Winn immediately wired his approval and consent. He then enlisted in the Twentieth engineers, where his forestry training stands him in good stead.

On January 27, Mr. and Mrs. Winn received word from their son that he would leave for France right away and they took the midnight train to Washington, D. C., where he was at Camp American University. They spent two days with him there.

HOME-SICK SOLDIER TRIES TO KILL SELF BY BURNING HIS BED

"Because he was homesick," David W. Kerr, a soldier held at police station for being absent from Camp McClellan without leave, set fire to his bed late last night in an effort to commit suicide.

He was discovered in an unconscious condition overcome by smoke, when Turnkey Whitley, whose attention was attracted by the odor, rushed in to investigate. He was hurried in the police patrol to Grady hospital where he received emergency treatment. It was an hour before he regained consciousness.

Kerr then stated that his home was in New Jersey and that he was homesick. "I can't go back home and I want to die," he said.

BOHEMIAN DEPUTIES CALLED TO BERLIN

Amsterdam, February 7.—All German-Bohemian deputies in the Austrian parliament, a Vienna telegram to Dutch newspapers say, have been called to Berlin for a conference next week. The conference will attempt to get their standpoint regarding the establishment of a German-Bohemian province.

Submarine That Sank Tuscania Was Attacked And Destroyed in Turn

Destroyer Dashed Up and Dropped Bomb on U-Boat, Sending It to Bottom, Is Claim of American Officer.

Londonderry, Ireland, February 7.—The submarine which torpedoed the Tuscania was attacked by a destroyer. An American officer gave an intimation that the submarine was destroyed.

This officer was one of the last to leave the Tuscania. He gave the Associated Press a vivid account of the disaster.

The second torpedo fired by the submarine missed its mark, he said. Thereupon a destroyer which was near behind the liner dashed off toward the submarine, using a bomb-dropping device. The claim is made that the submarine was "done for" by the bombs thus exploded.

The American officer said: "Everything went well with us during the voyage. Many of our men had never been to sea before and I must say they stood it like soldiers. We were one of a powerful convoy. I must not tell you our positon in the convoy or how the various ships were formed, but you may take it that all the other boats have got through as far as I know. As for ourselves, well, the Huns succeeded in getting only a fraction of our fine fellows in addition to our boat; but if they have, they have put the iron into our souls and we will be ready to repay them when the chance offers."

Sank on Mild Night.

"Monday was a mild night. Had the disaster occurred during a gale I don't like to think of what would have happened. But Tuesday evening was calm.

"The first intimation we had of possible danger was an order for all men to go on deck with life belts. It was about 4:30 o'clock. At the same time we sharply altered our course. At 6 o'clock, just as the darkness was setting well in, we got the blow. Nobody saw the periscope, nor could one have been seen well. Some soldiers described having heard a hissing sound immediately before the torpedo struck us in the engine room.

"We were instantly disabled. All the lights went out. An order rang out sending the troops to their boat stations and to get the life boats out. The shock was not severe. It was more of a crunching-in feeling that went through the ship than of a direct blow. There naturally was a good deal of confusion. You cannot lower a score of lifeboats from the height of an upper deck in the darkness without some confusion, but at no time was there a panic.

Lifeboats Smashed.

"There was great excitement, but it lasted only a few minutes. Then all the men pulled themselves together. Megaphone calls were given all over the ship, saying there was no danger that the vessel would not sink before all were taken off. In the meantime S. O. S. signals were sent out.

"Even before some of us had grasped the situation, British destroyers were dashing up alongside. Such soldiers as had been lowered in lifeboats were put on board destroyers. A few who had jumped overboard in the first excitement were picked up. I believe one or two lifeboats were smashed in launching.

"The destroyers took off our men in splendid style, with perfect order.

"All this time the Tuscania was slowly sinking. For a minute I did not know whether to go into a lifeboat or to stick by the ship. One of the members of the crew urged that we stay on board and trust John Bull's destroyers. He yelled this in my ear. I took his advice and waited for my turn to come to go on board a destroyer.

"No sooner had we cast off, with 500 men on board, than a torpedo was fired at us. It missed. Another destroyer dashed off, operating a bomb-dropping device, and the claim was afterwards made that the submarine had been done for."

500 ARE LANDED AT IRISH PORT.

An Irish Port, February 7.—(By the Associated Press.)—At an early hour yesterday morning 500 survivors, including troops and members of the crew of the torpedoed troop ship Tuscania, were landed at this port. Survivors have been landed at other Irish and Scottish ports, so it is difficult to estimate the exact number of casualties, but it is believed they will total less than 200, a large part of this number being members of the vessel's crew.

The Tuscania was part of a well-guarded convoy and was in sight of the Irish coast when just as darkness dropped Tuesday evening and without a sign of a submarine a torpedo struck the liner full amidships. The track of another torpedo was immediately afterwards noticed astern.

Without panic and in splendid order the men reached the boat stations, but the work of lowering the boats was hampered by the tremendous list of the liner. One or two of the first series of boats manned capsized while being lowered. After their occupants had been thrown into the water other boats were let down on top of them and it is feared several men lost their lives in this way.

The liner continued to float a considerable time. The work of rescuing the men from the water was carried out by boats from the escorting vessels and patrols called to the scene.

On the arrival of the survivors here many were removed to hospitals, but a great majority of the men were lodged in hotels where hot meals were served them by volunteers working under the Ship-wrecked Sailors society. The soldiers also were fitted out with warm clothing and given other comforts.

There were many pitiable scenes, a number of the men being on the verge of collapse from shock and uncertainty as to the fate of their comrades. They soon recovered, and treated their experience with wonderful indifference.

PRESIDENT GRANTS M'KENZIE'S CLAIM

The Well-Known Atlantan Sought Exemption From Service in Army on Ground That He Is a Farmer.

The refusal of the north Georgia district exemption board to exempt Harold Cantrell McKenzie, of Peachtree road, from draft service in the army, on the ground that he is a farmer, has been reversed by order of President Wilson, according to a communication received at the office of the adjutant general from Provost Marshal General Crowder Thursday.

Mr. McKenzie was inducted into service and sent to Camp Gordon, pending the decision of the president upon his appeal from the district board, and recently entered the officers' training camp at Camp Gordon.

The president's order releases him from further service.

Mr. McKenzie's claim was one of the two first agricultural claims acted upon by the north Georgia district exemption board, the action of the board being taken last August 22.

The other claim was that of Grady Bryan Thames, a farmer of Red Oak, in Campbell county. Mr. Thames claimed that a great part of his growing crop would be lost unless he were granted exemption long enough to gather it, and that after he had gathered his crop he would be ready to serve his country in arms. The board granted Mr. Thames the temporary exemption asked.

At the same time the board acted upon the claim of Mr. McKenzie, who set up that he was a farmer and had been engaged for several years in farming in the South Bend district of Fulton county, and also stated that he had taken a lease, to become effective January 1, 1918, on another farm in DeKalb county, upon which he planned extensive improvements and where he planned to raise hogs and other products.

The board declined to exempt Mr. McKenzie on this ground, and he appealed his case to the president, with the result that the president reversed the district board and granted Mr. McKenzie exemption.

The president affirmed the decisions of the north Georgia board in denying the exemption claims of James Dallass Collins, of Campbell county, and Jesse Ragon Barnett, of Murray county, as well as affirming the decisions of the south Georgia district board, No. 2, in denying the claims of Rufus F. Cody, of Dodge county; Elisha Carlton Powell, of Telfair county, and Ray T. Fuller, of Warren county.

EVIDENCE REFUSED IN HOTEL CRUSADE

Atlanta Must Make Her Own Case and Government Will Not Help, Allen Johnstone, Jr., Is Told.

Vice conditions that have been said by some man of mystery to obtain in this city must be cleaned up by the local police organization without the help of Uncle Sam, unless the city should evince a disposition to leave matters as they are said to stand, in which case the war department will take things into its own hands.

This is the conclusion that was reached by Allen Johnstone, Jr., secretary of the anti-vice bureau of the government here, who has just returned to the city after a visit to Washington, where he was told by the war department that it was only the duty of the government to point out the vice conditions that exist in the city, and not to furnish evidence or otherwise aid in the crusade, at least so long as Atlanta maintained a police organization, and that body did its duty.

Mr. Johnstone went to the capital city for the purpose of ascertaining who made the recent sensational investigation of alleged vice conditions in this city, from which a list of 17 hotels said to have been conducted on disorderly lines resulted, and it was his intention to bring either the investigators or affidavits and other evidence from those who made the investigations back to Atlanta with him to appear before the police committee of the city council. This evidence was to form a basis upon which the Atlanta police authorities could take action against the hotels named in the list.

But the meeting, which was to have been held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the city hall did not materialize, Mr. Johnstone having advised Chairman J. C. Little, of the police committee, that the evidence he had promised to bring back with him from Washington had not been procured, and the only persons present at the time the meeting should have been called to order were the representative of The Constitution and Rev. J. W. Ham, of the Baptist Tabernacle.

The failure of Mr. Johnstone to furnish the evidence he had promised the police committee leaves the vice situation up in the air, as neither the city nor the state, it is said, can proceed with prosecutions merely upon a list of names alleging disorderliness, and unsupported by other evidence, but the police department is still busy as usual, it is declared, with its investigations, and every effort will be made to keep the city clean.

VESSEL, THOUGH ONE OF GUARDED CONVOY IS SUNK BY U-BOAT IN SIGHT OF LAND

Attack Made at Dusk Tuesday—First Torpedo Found Mark in Boiler Room of Steamer, While Second Passed Harmlessly Astern.

AMERICAN SOLDIERS AND BRITISH CREW SHOWED FINE SPIRIT

Loss of Life Due to Trouble in Launching Life Boats, as There Was No Panic and the Ship Floated Two Hours After Being Hit.

A story of disaster at sea, affecting the hearts and hopes of Americans, although they have been schooled to expect it ever since the first contingent of their fighting men left an Atlantic port to become brothers-in-arms to the entente warriors who are entrenched against the German hordes, fortunately has dwindled in the telling. One hundred and one lives were lost in the torpedoing of the British troop ship Tuscania, off the Irish coast at dusk Tuesday evening, according to the latest report. She carried 2,397 souls, including 2,179 United States army foresters, engineers, supply train men, military police and aero units, and the first meager details Wednesday night indicated that the death list due to the steamer's sinking might be approximately 1,000. A later estimate that night, however, gave 267 as the number of men missing. Thursday morning the figure was reduced to 210, and this in turn was lowered to 101 through information obtained by a correspondent of the Associated Press in Ireland confirmed by the American embassy in London. The rescued, therefore, number 2,296. Among the American survivors are 76 officers.

The Tuscania, a liner of 14,348 gross tons, was one of a strongly guarded convoy and proceeding eastward off the north coast of Ireland when disaster overtook her. The shore line was visible from the starboard side through the dusk of oncoming night, and it was from this direction that the lurking submarine discharged a torpedo that found its mark in the boiler room of the steamer. A second torpedo was seen to pass harmlessly astern.

U-BOAT SUNK BY DESTROYER.

Apparently retribution at once befell the enemy underwater boat. According to the testimony of an American officer, who was one of the last men to leave the Tuscania, a British destroyer dashed toward the evident location of the attacker and dropped depth bombs that resulted, in the expressive phrase of the submarine hunters, in the enemy being "done in."

The explosion of the torpedo had

Weather Prophecy
GENERALLY FAIR.

Washington—Forecast:
Georgia—Fair Friday and Saturday, except rain Saturday in north portion.

Local Weather Report.

Highest temperature	64
Lowest temperature	48
Mean temperature	56
Normal temperature	44
Rainfall in past 24 hours, inches	.04
Deficiency since 1st of mo., inches	.79
Excess since January 1, inches	2.02

Reports of Weather Bureau Stations.

STATIONS and State of WEATHER.	Temperature. 7 p.m.	Temperature. High.	Rain 24 hrs Inches
ATLANTA, clear	60	68	.04
Birmingham, cldy.	64	68	.04
Boston, snow	22	26	.00
Buffalo, snow	24	26	.02
Charleston, clear	54	68	.00
Chicago, clear	26	32	.00
Denver, cloudy	48	64	.00
Des Moines, pt. c.	46	56	.00
Galveston, cloudy	60	66	.01
Hatteras, clear	44	52	.00
Jacksonville, clear	58	70	.00
Kansas City, clear	56	60	.00
Memphis, cloudy	60	62	.00
Miami, clear	68	72	.00
Mobile, clear	60	70	.00
Montgomery, clear	68	72	.02
New Orleans, clear	66	76	.01
New York, cloudy	44	50	.01
Pittsburg, cloudy	38	38	.00
Raleigh, clear	56	64	.00
San Francisco, pt. c	58	58	.38
St. Louis, cloudy	40	52	.00
Shreveport, clear	68	74	.00
Tampa, clear	66	78	.00
Toledo, cloudy	30	36	.00
Vicksburg, clear	70	74	.00
Washington, clear	48	58	.00

C. F. von HERRMANN,
Meteorologist, Weather Bureau.

immediately caused a tremendous list and made the launching of lifeboats and rafts extremely hazardous in the heavy sea and the darkness.

Almost all of the loss of life and the sustaining of injuries occurred because of this condition, as there was no panic among the Americans or the crew, and the stricken liner remained afloat for fully two hours. Many patrol boats assisted the destroyers in the work of rescue and the survivors were landed at various Irish and Scotch ports, where prompt medical attention was given the injured and the others were made comfortable.

CAPITAL'S FIGURES ACCOUNT FOR ALL BUT 113 SOLDIERS

Washington, February 7.—Latest official advices to the war department tonight accounted for all except 113 of the 2,156 American soldiers who were on board the British liner Tuscania when a submarine sent her down Tuesday night off the Irish coast.

This figure was not final and high hopes that the loss of life would prove much smaller were built upon cabled press dispatches, saying just 101 men, most of them members of the crew, were missing among the entire force of soldiers, sailors and passengers.

No attempt was made tonight to prepare a list of the lost or missing. Only a few names of survivors had been received and the indications were that it would be impossible to announce them all before tomorrow at the earliest. The rescued were landed at widely separated Irish and Scotch ports and while all reports tell of elaborate arrangements for their care and comfort, urgent instructions to representatives of the war, state and navy departments that full details of the disaster and a complete record of the saved be sent at the earliest possible moment tonight had brought only merger responses.

Official Report.

According to the war department's official report tonight the total missing from the 2,397 persons aboard the liner was 210. The latest dispatch gave this recapitulation:

Survivors—United States troops, 2,043; crew and passengers, 141. Total, 2,184.

On Board—United States troops, 2,156; crew and passengers, 241. Total, 2,397.

Missing—United States troops, 113; crew and passengers, 97. Total, 210.

Officials assumed that an error in transmission accounted for the discrepancy in this dispatch's figures on crew and passengers. The total number of missing among all persons on board, 210, according to a statement of the British admiralty issued early in the day, so the number of passengers and crew survivors probably should have been 144 instead of 141.

Virtually no story of the sinking of the Tuscania has reached the government through official channels. Dispatches from the embassy at London and other sources so far have been confined to terse statements and announcements of the number saved.

Proud of Soldiers.

Press accounts consequently have been read with more than ordinary interest by every one. Army officers are proud of the way the troops behaved, and point to the story of how the partially trained boys lined up on deck, singing national airs to await their turns in the boats, as evidence of what may be expected of American soldiers.

To this absence of confusion and the fact that the vessel remained afloat for about two hours in a calm sea is attributed the small loss of life. The Tuscania was a part of a large convoy and immediate relief was at hand.

There has been no mention in official messages tonight of report that a convoying destroyer sighted and pursued the submarine that made the attack. The destroyer probably was British, and British admiralty reports on the incident will be awaited with the keenest interest.

On board the liner were engineers, military police and replacement detachments, composed of former Michigan and Wisconsin national guardsmen and three aero squadrons, one of which was recruited almost entirely in and around New York city. Members of the other two squadrons came from nearly every section of the country.

SUBMARINE TRIED TO TORPEDO BOATS IN RESCUE WORK

London, February 7.—That a German submarine endeavored to attack the destroyers while the latter were engaged in rescue work is the statement made by an American officer at another Irish port where a large number of men were landed. The officer said to a correspondent of the Associated Press: "The thing that somehow impressed me most in the whole experience was the promptitude and precision with which the British naval men handled their craft under the trying conditions of rescue work. This work had only just begun when there came the most exciting moments of the night.

"A U-boat from the curtain of blackness behind which she was skulking thought to finish the work by an attack on the destroyers. Three torpedoes were discharged in a few minutes at three destroyers, and it was only due to the watchfulness of the lookouts and the splendid seamanship of the British naval men that they failed to reach their targets.

"This onslaught, however, revealed the approximate location of the enemy, and a pair of destroyers at once attacked with guns and bombs so effectively that even if the U-boat was not sunk it was afraid to show itself again."

Few events of the war in the past few months have stirred the English people more deeply than the disaster to American troops approaching a British harbor on a British transport. Such an eventuality had been feared.

The first news, before the landing of the survivors at different ports became known, caused the belief that there was a heavy toll in lives, running into hundreds and perhaps more than a thousand. All the known circumstances impressed the public with the feeling that the greatest sea tragedy in Atlantic waters since the sinking of the Lusitania, and possibly greater loss of life, had occurred. The latest bulletins tonight, however, indicating that the casualties may be 100 or even less, has caused a distinct relief from the tension.

Of those lost a large proportion are members of the crew. It is not yet known how many of the ship's officers survived.

There is no surprise over this incident; the only cause for wonder is that, of the hundreds of troop-laden transports which have crossed the Atlantic in the past three years and more the same fate has not befallen others. The record as a whole is considered by seamen most creditable to the British mercantile and naval services.

STATE RAIL BOARD PROBING QUALITY

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Gas company has rendered Atlanta for more than fifty years, entered into the recent increases in cost of operation.

He stated that coal for which the company formerly paid $2.50 now costs more than $5, and that oil for the manufacture of gas which the company was formerly able to buy at 3 cents a gallon now costs 9 cents a gallon. The cost of other materials and labor, he stated, has also gone up, until the operating expenses of the company in December, 1917, were double the operating expenses for December, 1916, and that net earnings are showing constant decrease until it does not now appear whether the company will be able to make more than operating expenses during the coming year.

Figures for December.

Mr. Arkwright quoted figures showing that the gross income of the company in December, 1917, was $97,000, as against a gross income of $80,000 for December, 1916, while the operating expenses for December, 1917, were $106,000, as against $46,000 for 1916. Analysis of the operating expense figures for December, 1917, however, showed that the December bills included an item of $19,000 for repair work which was not done in that month.

Mr. Arkwright took the position that since the rates and prices charged by public utilities for their services represent about the only items of expense to the general public which have not gone up since the war and that since the operating expenses of public utilities have increased, though there has been no increase in rate, a temporary reduction in rate, growing out of an unavoidable condition occasioned by the war, would not be justifiable.

Mr. Arkwright further took the position that if a man finds his gas bills have doubled, the rate not having been increased, the patron is not paying double for the same service, but double the amount of service.

Increase in Expenses.

Mr. Congdon testified as to the increased expenses and difficulties of the production end of the gas company's business and declared that the gas company is now using only one gallon of oil to a thousand feet of gas, where it normally used four gallons of oil, the reason being that the company cannot get the oil. The only solution to the situation, he said, is to maintain the normal standard for about four days and shut down, to cut off a great area of the city and restrict the area of service, or to cut down the quality of the gas until a normal supply of oil can be obtained, the last named solution being the policy decided upon by the company.

Mr. Atkinson amplified Mr. Arkwright's statements as to the financial status of the gas company, declaring that he has never faced a year with so much anxiety for the future of the gas company as the present year. He declared that the company can get no money anywhere except that which it receives from its patrons, and that to cut this down by a reduction in rates would be all but fatal financially to the company.

He further called attention to the fact that the gas company is inseparably interwoven with the Georgia Railway and Power company, financially, and in so far as its control is concerned, and cited that the Georgia Railway and Power company is now building some $5,000,000 worth of hydro-electric developments which are calling upon it for large financial outlays.

MUTILATED AMERICANS WASHED ASHORE

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explosion, but the auxiliary plant was put into operation immediately.

"There was great difficulty in lowering our lifeboats, the chains being broken and the tackles entangled. Several boats capsized and the struggle in the water of the men thrown out added to the tragedy.

"I entered a boat with forty others, but it became filled with water and we had to jump out. I caught two oars which had been lashed together and held on. I was in the water for three hours before I was picked up."

STRICKEN LINER GIVEN NO WARNING.

Belfast, Ireland, February 7.—One of the stewards on the Tuscania, named Houston, whose home is in New York, was near the engine room when the explosion occurred. He had much difficulty in reaching his boat station, owing to the list to starboard.

The steward found the boat crowded, but it was launched successfully. "We were among the lucky ones," he said. "We got away easily."

The liner Tuscania received no warning and had no sight of the submarine that s ank her. Just at dusk a torpedo struck her full amidships.

Immediately afterwards another torpedo was noticed to pass her stern. She immediately took a big list and the men were called to their boat stations. The list of the vessel prevented the proper lowering of the life boats and many men jumped into the water.

Many of the casualties occurred during the lowering of the life boats from the upper deck.

The survivors, on landing, were received with great hospitality by different organizations which fitted them out with clothing and supplied other comforts. They were lodged in the largest hotels where hot meals were immediately provided.

Several bodies were brought ashore from the steamer. They were those of men who had succumbed to their injuries or to exposure. The bodies were deposited in the morgue.

There was no panic on board the steamer.

Roosevelt's Condition Serious; Physicians Rush to Bedside

Abscess in Left Ear Has Entered Internal Ear—No Further Operation to Be Made at Present.

New York, February 7.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt was resting easy tonight in Roosevelt hospital, where he was operated on yesterday for fistula and abscesses in both of his ears.

The physicians in attendance upon the former president, in a bulletin issued at 9 o'clock this evening, said they were "very hopeful about his progress, but are unable to say positively until tomorrow whether further operations will be necessary."

The bulletin follows:

"Dr. Martin and Dr. Bull consulted over Colonel Roosevelt at 8 o'clock. They found that the active symptoms from the acute inflammation of his internal ear were subsiding without any untoward developments. They feel very hopeful about his progress, but are unable to say positively until tomorrow whether further operations will be necessary."

A sudden development of inflammation in the inner left ear was responsible for the hurried calling of a consultation of specialties during the day. This resulted in the issuing of a statement which in effect characterized the colonel's condition as "serious, but not critical."

Statement on Condition.

No formal statement was issued by the physicians, but the following note was made public by Colonel Roosevelt's private secretary.

"Colonel Roosevelt had an abscess in both ears which were operated on yesterday afternoon. The colonel passed a comfortable night, but this morning inflammation had developed from his left ear into his internal ear. This afternoon it was found advisable to call in Dr. Gorham Bacon and Dr. Fred Whiting, eye and ear specialists, who went into consultation with Dr. Duel, another eye and ear specialist, who performed the operation yesterday, and also Dr. Walton Martin, the surgeon attending Colonel Roosevelt. In their opinion no further operations were indicated at present. While his condition is serious nothing more is to be done than careful observation for the present."

After having undergone a minor operation for fistula at his home in Oyster Bay about a week ago, Colonel Roosevelt came to New York that he might be in close touch with his physician.

Secondary Hemorrhage.

Tuesday night at the hotel he was seized with a secondary hemorrhage and Wednesday on the advice of Dr. Walton Martin underwent another operation for fistula. Shortly afterwards a specialist also removed an abscess from each of his ears. Altogether the operation lasted a few minutes less than two hours and Wednesday night was passed by the former president in comparative ease.

Today, however, the attending physicians discovered the development of inflammation in the inner ear, but said that for the present nothing would be done except the maintenance of a careful observation of the patient.

In a suite near the colonel's room are Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth and Mrs. Richard Derby. All the members of the colonel's family are optimistic as to his ultimate recovery.

During the day there were scores of callers at Roosevelt hospital, among them George W. Perkins, Oscar S. Straus and John Purroy Mitchel, former mayor of New York. None of them was permitted to see the colonel, Mrs. Longworth doing the talking for the family. In addition scores of telegrams and notes of inquiry from friends throughout the country were received at the hospital during the day. Flowers and baskets of fruit also were delivered there for Colonel Roosevelt.

SINKING REGARDED AS ISOLATED CASE

Washington, February 7.—Much satisfaction is found by officials here in the unofficial accounts of the destruction of the British liner Tuscania by a German submarine which showed that a destroyer, presumably British, gave chase to the raider and possibly sank her with a depth bomb.

No details of the attack had come tonight from official sources. They are awaited eagerly. Sorrow over the first loss of a transport laden with American troops is tempered by the growing total of survivors, and the dominant emotion among army and navy men now is the desire to strike back.

Navy officials see no reason to change their opinion that the submarine menace is being overcome. The Tuscania incident is regarded as an isolated case, which may, however, serve to develop additional methods for repelling the undersea craft and improving the convoy system. No detail of the action will be passed over when full reports from the British admiralty are available.

Around the navy department there was renewed talk tonight of "bottling up" the submarines. Many officers believe that a way can be found to hold the U-boats within narrow limits, and keep the rest of the seas free except for occasional raiders which might slip through. There is no doubt that plans to this end have been given great study both here and abroad.

The weight of American anti-submarine efforts is yet to be brought to bear. What has been accomplished already by American naval forces has through makeshift devices and converted craft in a great measure. Every week now, however, sees the near approach of the day when all the plans and efforts of the navy will bear full fruit and wide extension of the campaign be possible, both in the way of additional fighting craft and improved devices. On this is based the belief that the submarines can be largely curbed before summer.

Many devices enter into the battle against the U-boats, some of which have been evolved by American inventors. Others have been greatly improved since the United States entered the war, and the detection apparatus now installed on American craft is so successful that British craft are being similarly equipped.

DECISION ON CONTROL OF HOUSING PROBLEM

Washington, February 7.—Entire control of the problem of housing workers in all war industries has been delegated to the department of labor after discussion of the question at recent cabinet meetings.

Assisting the administrator will be a policies board composed of his subordinates, each dealing with a separate phase of the problem, legal, financial, construction, real estate, transport, social, etc. On their advice he will decide the questions brought by each manufacturer, whether transportation shall be relied on to provide workers from near-by towns or whether houses shall be built at the site of the plant, and if the decision is to build, how extensive the construction shall be and of what material.

Every precaution will be taken by the department of labor to safeguard the social and living conditions of workers who volunteer their industrial service.

Housing construction at shipyards still will be supervised by the shipping board for the department, in agreement with the understanding reached at previous conferences. Appropriation of a separate fund of $50,000,000 for the board's needs already is pending in congress and it was deemed inadvisable to attempt a change.

Recruiting of shipbuilders tonight was said to be progressing satisfactorily.

VICE ADMIRAL SIMS HAS REACHED ROME

Rome, February 7.—Vice Admiral Sims has arrived in Rome. A dinner in his honor will be given tonight. He will remain here only a few days.

RAILROADS EARNED OVER $958,000,000

Washington, February 7.—Railroads in 1917 earned about $958,000,000, which is near the amount the government will have to pay the roads this year as compensation under national operation. This was indicated by figures on revenues, expenses and incomes of all roads earning more than $1,000,000 last year, available today in unofficial computations based on interstate commerce commission reports for eleven months and estimates for December.

The sum the government will have to pay the roads under the bill pending in congress is estimated at $945,000,000 by Chairman Smith, of the senate committee having the bill in charge.

Figures for 1917 show that if railway income continues to decline, as it has in recent months, the government will face a deficit in making its compensation payments, augmented by increases in wages and the constantly-rising cost of materials and supplies.

On the other hand, the railroad administration hopes to be able to cut operating expenses sufficiently and economize on charges necessary only under competitive conditions, to offset the declining income. The size of these items, which will play such a big part in railroad financing this year, were disclosed today by the latest computations.

In December, the last month under private operation, earnings declined sharply, according to early reports from railroads now being received by the interstate commerce commission. The average reduction of income was estimated at 30 per cent, caused by the ever-mounting cost of operation, doubly increased by the bitter weather of December, together with a sudden drop in revenues resulting from traffic congestion and embargoes.

Compared with the estimated income of $958,000,000 last year, the figures for 1916 was $1,087,533,000; for 1915, $716,476,000; for 1914, $692,330,000, and for 1913, $816,510,000.

Last year the total revenues from railway operation were $4,083,000,000, and operating expenses were $2,861,000,000, leaving a net revenue of $1,177,000,000. From this were deducted $217,000,000 taxes and minor items of uncollectible revenue to compute the net income figure, which is comparable in a general way to the basis of government compensation.

These figures will be increased about 4 per cent by addition of reports from numerous small roads having operating revenues of less than $1,000,000 a year, whose records are not included with the reports of standard class 1 roads.

The reason for the decline in net income last year is shown graphically by the report. Operating revenues were 10 per cent greater than the $3,622,000,000 of 1916, but expenses ran more than 20 per cent above the $2,373,000,000 mark of the year previous.

Nearly all items of expense were higher. Wages increased are estimated at 20 per cent. Cost of coal, train supplies and repairs went up by bounds with which the immense receipts from freight and other revenues did not keep pace.

ICE PLANTS ARE FACED BY AMMONIA SHORTAGE

Washington, February 7.—Possibilities of a serious ammonia shortage and a consequent curtailment of artificial ice manufacture next summer were suggested by the food administration tonight, in reply to reports that production is ample. A statement dealing with the situation said:

"The attention of the food administration is called to articles appearing in various New York papers by which it is indicated that plenty of ammonia will be available to make ice next summer, that there will be no commandeering of ammonia in New York and that there will be a sufficient supply of the commodity to permit the manufacture of the customary amount of artificial ice.

"The government cannot give assurance that there will be a sufficient supply of ammonia, nor that the manufacture of the customary amount of artificial ice will be possible. There is danger of a serious shortage of ammonia and steps are being taken to have as large as possible a harvest of natural ice to meet any possible shortage of artificial ice."

G. O. P. PLANS FIGHT ON BLANKET BILL

Republican Senators Will Meet Saturday to Consider Wilson's New Measure. Bitter Opposition Is Expressed.

Washington, February 7.—A move toward concentrated republican opposition of the new administration bill proposing to give President Wilson blanket authority to re-organize and coordinate government agencies, a speech in the house by Representative Glass, of Virginia, denouncing critics of the government, and temporary suspension of senate debate, were today's developments in the controversy over war machinery re-organization.

A conference Saturday morning of republican senators—the first held since the United States entered the war—was called late today by Republican Leader Gallinger, to consider the new bill President Wilson sent to the senate yesterday. Bitter opposition to the measure is expressed openly by republicans and privately by several democratic leaders. There were twenty-five signatures on the call for the republican conference.

The republicans also expect to consider joint action on the administration measure to create a war finance corporation, which is being urged by Secretary McAdoo, and upon other administration legislation.

Debate Not Renewed.

With the Overman bill injecting a new and unexpected element into the controversy, several senators planning addresses on the military committee's war cabinet and munitions director bills postponed them and the senate held but a brief session without renewal of the debate. Tomorrow Senator Thomas, of Colorado, democrat, expects to speak against the committee bills.

In the house, Representative Glass praised the administration's war record and denied Senator Chamberlain's declaration that the war department had broken down. He detailed army achievements and declared ten times more troops had been sent to France than had been expected.

Representative Mason, republican, of Illinois, who followed Representative Glass, told the house he admired Secretary Baker as a man who could admit mistakes had been made in his department and added:

"For God's sake let's quit fighting each other and fight the kaiser."

War Inquiry Resumed.

While waiting for Secretary Baker's information regarding tonnage available for transportation of troops to Europe, the senate military committee today resumed its war inquiry, examining Major General Wheeler, acting chief of ordnance, and his aides behind closed doors regarding explosives production. Tomorrow the committee will consider general army legislation, possibly bringing up the war cabinet bill. The committee now is said to be evenly divided on the bill, and Chairman Chamberlain admitted tonight that, when the vote is taken, because of administration influence thrown against the measure, enough votes may be mustered to prevent its being reported to the senate.

When Secretary Baker will re-appear before the committee, has not been decided. His next testimony in connection with the prospect of shipping to France, Senator Chamberlain said, probably would be in secret session. Another public hearing, however, is probable later.

Consideration of the new bill authorizing the president to re-organize and co-ordinate government bureaus and agencies will begin next Monday. Senator Overman plans to have a judiciary sub-committee appointed to hold hearings.

$50,000 INSURANCE CARRIED BY CAVERLY WHILE IN ATLANTA

Though worry over business affairs have been suggested as a partial reason for the suicide of Charles E. Caverly, who died last Tuesday while on a visit here from his home in New York, it appears that such troubles must have been of a recent nature, for the reason that it is known that he was in good financial condition when he lived in Atlanta several years ago. At that time it is known that he carried $50,000 worth of insurance, divided as follows:

With the Travelers, $6,000; with the Mutual Life of New York, $3,000; with the Metropolitan Life of New York, $26,000; with the Fidelity Mutual of Philadelphia, $5,000; wit hthe State Mutual of Massachusetts, $10,000.

FOR ARMY OFFICERS

The cubynite compass with luminous dial. Designated by the government for army service. John L. Moore & Sons, the opticians, have them at $3.50 each. Mail orders receive prompt attention. 42 N. Broad St.—(adv.)

R. R. ENGINEERS OUT WITH STATEMENT

Men in Cabs All Over the Country Tell How Tanlac Restored Them to Health and Relieved Trouble.

When a railroad engineer's health is impaired, the lives of thousands may be endangered daily, for his work requires a clear brain, a steady nerve and a strong constitution. The following statements from some of the best-known railroad engineers in the country tell how Tanlac relieved them of suffering and restored their health:

W. L. Nabers, Atlanta, Ga., said: "I had lost appetite, liver and kidneys were deranged. Haven't had a pain since taking Tanlac. Gained 14 pounds."

L. C. Bowers, 910 First Ave., Nashville, Tenn., said: "Tanlac overcame my stomach trouble and nervousness. Gained 8 pounds."

D. A. Middleton, 1717 Chenovert street, Houston, Tex., said: "Was in bad shape. Couldn't walk. Tanlac built me up like a new man. Gained 11 pounds."

S. T. Watkins, Birmingham, Ala., said: "Suffered 27 years with stomach disorders. Tanlac ended my troubles."

Jeff D. Riggs, 2020 Pearl street, Vicksburg, Miss., says: "Was nervous and physical wreck. Gained 25 pounds."

Other well-known railroad engineers who have indorsed Tanlac are: J. B. Watson, Mobile, Ala.; B. F. House, R. D. No. 5, Atlanta, Ga.; T. G. Ayers, 107 Rainey Ave., Nashville, Tenn.; C. J. Weeks 2139 Lydia Ave., Jacksonville, Fla.; Lynn Silla, 440 Bellevue Ave., Memphis, Tenn., and others too numerous to mention.

Tanlac is sold in Atlanta by Jacobs' Pharmacy Co.—(adv.)

MRS. ABSYLLAH HARMAN DIES AT THE AGE OF 97

She Was Oldest Living Member of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Absyllah Ann Harman, an Atlanta pioneer and one of her best known and most loved women, died yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock at her residence, 17 East Eleventh street.

She was the daughter of Rev. Joshua Callaway and Mary Milner Callaway and was born in Jones county, Georgia, March 21, 1821.

On December 20, 1842, she married Zacheriah Edward Harman, of Forsyth, Ga., and lived in that town for twenty-five ears, moving to Atlanta in 1869.

During the war she was active in relief work for the confederate soldiers, acting as president of the Forsyth ladies' association which cared for the wounded, fed the hungry and provided tents for the men. When she came to Atlanta she became connected with the Memorial association here.

Mrs. Harman joined the Baptist church when she was 14 years old, and was thus a member for eighty-three years. She was a member of the First Baptist church for fifty years, being the oldest living member. Her life was spent largely in Christian activities.

She was the mother of Charles E. Harman, general passenger agent of the Western and Atlantic; Mrs. Mary H. Randall, Mrs. Albert H. Cox, and of the late Mrs. Eugene Black and the late Mrs. Kate Orme. She is survived by a large number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The funeral services will be conducted at 11 o'clock Saturday morning at the residence of her son, Charles E. Harman, 869 Peachtree street, Dr. C. W. Daniel, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. Her grandsons will act as pallbearers. The interment will be at West View.

YOUNG AVIATOR KILLED BY COLLISION IN AIR

Waco, Texas, February 7.—Lewis G. Burrell, of Charleston, W. Va., was instantly killed at Rich aviation field here today when his airplane collided with another at a height of 200 feet. The other aviator was unhurt. Burrell was 25 years old.

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Salts in Hot Water Clears Pimply Skin

Says we must make kidneys clean the blood, and pimples disappear.

Pimples, sores and boils usually result from toxins, poisons and impurities which are generated in the bowels and then absorbed into the blood through the very ducts which should absorb only nourishment to sustain the body.

It is the function of the kidneys to filter impurities from the blood and cast them out in the form of urine, but in many instances the bowels create more toxins and impurities than the kidneys can eliminate, then the blood uses the skin pores as the next best means of getting rid of these impurities which, often break out all over the skin in the form of pimples.

The surest way to clear the skin of these eruptions, says a noted authority, is to get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of hot water each morning before breakfast for one week. This will prevent the formation of toxins in the bowels. It also stimulates the kidneys to normal activity, thus coaxing them to filter the blood of impurities and clearing the skin of pimples.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent drink which usually makes pimples disappear; cleanses the blood and is excellent for the kidneys as well.—(adv.)

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If your children suffer from croup or whooping cough, are run down in health and weight, just get a 25c bottle of Cheney's Expectorant from any drug store and take as directed on label, and croup or whooping cough will leave them, they will breathe easily again, and will gain weight and be comfortable once more. Cheney's Expectorant is an invaluable remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness and asthma.—(adv.)

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Large White Cherries, can	45c
Dozen cans	$5.00
Green Gage Plums, can	40c
Dozen cans	$4.50
Pineapple, grated, large can	35c
Dozen cans	$3.75
Pineapple, grated, Medium	25c
Dozen cans	$2.75
Red Pitted Cherries, in heavy syrup, medium can	35c
Dozen cans	$3.75
Gooseberries, No. 2 tin	35c
Dozen cans	$3.75

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Gobblers, 8 to 20 lbs., per lb.	42½c

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Philadelphia, February 7.—The Pennsylvania railroad announced tonight that, effective at midnight, the embargoes on freight of all description in less than carload lots would be lifted on its lines east of Pittsburg.

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CLOSING NECESSARY SAYS MISS TARBELL

That the two most serious phases of the war at the present time are the food shortage and the transportation problem is the opinion of Ida M. Tarbell, nationally-known magazine writer and leader in social betterment work.

Miss Tarbell expressed this opinion last night while passing through Atlanta. She is at present giving her services to the Woman's Council of National Defense and is on a speaking tour. The subject of her lecture is "The Inner Line of Defense," and deals with the organization of the people at home for successful prosecution of the war and the adjustment of personal life to war conditions. She arrived in Atlanta from Chattanooga and left here last night for Rock Hill, S. C., where she will address the student body at Winthrop college, going from there back to Washington.

In speaking of conditions she had found in the course of her travels, Miss Tarbell said:

"I do not agree with people who state that the great proportion of our people do not realise we are at war. I think the overwhelming majority has a full realization of the war and what it means. The reason they appear a trifle indifferent at times, maybe, is because it is so new to them that they are naturally reticent about their feelings and they are also uncertain as to what part they are to play.

Asked in reference to what she had seen of the workings of the Garfield closing order, Miss Tarbell stated that she had been opposed to the order at first, but her experiences of the past three weeks in all parts of the country have led her to believe it was the right thing to do.

"The fact that the past threee Mondays have been the worst days for storms ever experienced in the north and east has largely offset the good effect of Mr. Garfield's order," she said. "But the miles and miles of loaded coal cars that I have seen so buried beneath the snow that they have to be dug out by man-power, has convinced me that drastic action to relieve the congestion was necessary.

"At any rate, Mr. Garfield's order has secured coal for the shipping, and that is what counts. But you people down here don't realize what suffering the lack of coal has caused in New York this year. I was unable to secure any fuel except broken chips of wood which were gathered up off the yards and streets by small boys, for a period of three weeks.

During her brief stay in the city Miss Tarbell was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bridges, of 145 Penn avenue.

Torpedoed Liner Aurania Is Limping Back to Port

New York, February 7.—The Cunard liner Aurania, 13,400 tons, was torpedoed by a German submarine within the last 48 hours while bound for the United States, it was learned from officials of the Cunard line today.

Although badly damaged by the explosion, the ship was not sunk, and is believed to be making her way back to port with the assistance of government vessels, it was said. The ship carried but little cargo.

The Aurania is a sister ship of the Cunard liner Andania, sunk by a submarine last month. She was built in 1915 at Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the same yard where the Mauretania was constructed. The ship was 530 feet long, 65 beam and had accommodations for 550 passengers in the cabin and 2,000 in the steerage.

The Aurania made her first voyage to this port in April, 1917. She had not figured in the records of this port since that time.

There were 13 or 14 passengers aboard the Aurania when she was struck, it was stated at the offices of the Cunard line. No additional particulars are yet available, it was added.

SHIP IN DISTRESS OFF NEWFOUNDLAND.

An Atlantic Port, February 7.—Calls for help from a steamer in distress off the Newfoundland coast were picked up by another ship today and relayed to government stations. The nature of the vessel's trouble was not revealed by the authorities.

CHANNEL SHIP SUNK BY U-BOAT.

Ottawa, Ontario, February 7.—A dispatch to Reuter's Limited from London dated February 6, says announcement of the sinking by the Germans of a channel passenger ship bound for a French port, was made in the house of commons by H. J. MacNamara, undersecretary of the admiralty, who said that of a crew of 20 and 25 military and naval passengers aboard the vessel, 14 and 18, respectively, were lost.

The undersecretary also said the captain was the only survivor of 25 persons aboard a steamer from Ireland to Liverpool bay.

The information was given in response to questions from a member of the house, who further asked whether a steamer had been sunk in Liverpool bay January 26 with a loss of 12 lives.

FRENCH REPULSE GERMAN ATTACKS

Three Assaults by Teutons Result in Loss of Men and Material—British Raiders Active.

New York, February 7.—(By Associated Press. From European Cables of the Day.)—Operations on the western front continue to be marked by heavy artillery exchanges in conjunction with raiding attacks on the opposing trenches. Paris reports active cannonades on the Aisne and Verdun fronts, and in Alsace, and a half dozen forays of the Germans were repulsed in which the enemy lost men and material. According to Berlin, the Germans captured prisoners in a raid in Flanders and in forefield engagements in Artois, and a French attack in the Champagne broke down.

Rome reports slight artillery activity on all the Italian front, but that hostile aircraft Wednesday morning renewed their bombardments of Italian towns. The number of enemy machines brought down by the entente airmen on the Italian front from January 26 to February 6 was fifty-six.

GERMAN ATTACKERS ARE DRIVEN BACK.

Paris, February 7.—The war office communication tonight says:

"We repulsed at daybreak an enemy attempt against one of our small posts in the region north of Craonne.

"After the bombardment reported this morning on the right bank of the Meuse and in Alsace the Germans carried out east of Samogneux as well as at the north corner of the Bois des Fosses and on our lines south of Hartmans-Weilerkopf three attacks, which we repulsed, inflicting losses on the enemy and capturing material."

FRENCH FAILED, BERLIN CLAIMS.

Berlin, February 7.—(Via London. British Admiralty, Per Wireless Press.) The official communication from general headquarters today says:

"Western Theater: In the afternoon there was an artillery duel near the coast. Infantry detachments brought in prisoners as a result of an attack west of Zandvoorde and forefield engagements in Artois. In the evening the British artillery was again active on both sides of the Scarpe and west of Cambrai.

"A French attack in Champagne broke down. In the Meuse region there was artillery activity through the day, supporting a successful reconnaissance southwest of Ornes.

"Elsewhere there was nothing of importance."

AIRMEN BOMB ITALIAN TOWNS.

Rome, February 7.—The official communications from headquarters today reads:

"From Stelvio to the sea there was slight artillery activity. Some patrol encounters occurred between the Adige and the Brenta, and there were a few aerial combats in which British aviators brought down an enemy machine.

"Calliano and Bassano and again Treviso and Mestre were bombed early yesterday morning by hostile aircraft, which, however, caused little damage and few casualties. One of our airships last night reached the aviation grounds at St. Giacoma di Veglia, southeast of Vittorio, dropping a ton of high explosives.

"The number of hostile machines brought down from January 26 to yesterday by our and our allied airmen reached fifty-six."

BRITONS RAID GERMAN POST.

London, February 7.—The official report from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters in France tonight reads:

"Early this morning our troops raided a German post southeast of Queant, killing or taking prisoner several of the garrison. A hostile raiding party that attempted to approach our lines west of La Bassee was successfully repulsed. The enemy's artillery was active this afternoon in the neighborhood of Le Verguier, northwest of St. Quentin and east of Monchy le Preux."

W. G. ARCHER VERY ILL AT LOCAL SANITARIUM

The many friends of W. G. Archer, president of the Columbia Book company, will regret to learn of his critical illness with pneumonia at Davis-Fischer sanitarium.

TROOPS MAY PARADE IN NEARBY CITIES

Baker Urges That Public Be Given Every Opportunity to See Soldiers.

Washington, February 7.—Troops of the regular, national guard and national army divisions will be made available for parade or reviews in towns or cities near their training centers to the fullest possible extent hereafter under order issued today by Secretary Baker. Division and other commanders are directed to grant requests of this character from municipal officials wherever military necessity will permit, but they are cautioned not to add unnecessary burdens to the railway facilities by taking troops on railway journeys.

The secretary's memorandum addressed to the chief of staff, said:

"Reports which come to the department from the regular army, national guard and national army camps show the remarkable improvement which has been made in the physique, bearing and spirit of the men called to the colors.

"The country has a deep interest in its soldiers and is entitled to see them in their military organizations whenever an opportunity can be afforded without prejudice to their continuing instruction. I would, therefore, be glad to have you issue a general order to all commanders asking them to avail themselves of opportunities for reviews and parades in regiments and larger units in cities near their several camps. The commanders should be cautioned not to add an unnecessary burden to the railroad transportation facilities of the country by taking troops on railroad journeys; but whenever it can be otherwise arranged it is desirable."

Under the secretary's order, it is probable that the soldiers will be very extensively engaged in parade work on Washington's birthday.

Bernhardt Is Elected First Vice President Of Builders' Exchange

Pittsburg, February 6.—The National Association of Builders' Exchanges of the United States, in annual convention here, elected the following officers:

John B. Wiggins, of Philadelphia, president; Charles W. Bernhardt, of Atlanta, first vice president; C. J. Dubot, of Sioux City, Iowa, second vice president; B. M. Freeman, of Columbus, Ohio, treasurer. President Wiggins will appoint a secretary.

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At this one special price we shall sell an accumulation of good values in black shoes and a few tans—

Lace and button boots—French and Cuban heels—Patent and dull leathers—odd sizes—and discontinued styles.

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5.32 PER CT. PROFIT GUARANTEED ROADS

Washington, February 7.—Chairman Smith, of the senate interstate commerce committee, in reporting favorably to the senate today, the administration railroad bill, estimated that under the measure's provisions the government will guarantee annually to the railroads of the country $945,000,000, which will represent a return of 5.32 per cent. This he says "reflects neither poverty nor riches," but the committee believes a majority of the railroads will accept "these terms as a just and fair measure of their constitutional rights."

An agreement on the bill was reached by the committee last Saturday but minority reports are to be submitted by Senators Cummins and La Follette. Administration leaders plan to call the bill up for consideration next Monday.

"Your committee is of the opinion that this is the time for war emergency legislation and not the time to settle the many controversial and vexed questions concerning our future transportation policy," Chairman Smith says in perfecting his report. He then takes up the compensation section and adds:

Terms Considered Just.

"About seventy-five great operating railroads do over 90 per cent of the railroad business. The committee believes that most of these great railroad carriers will accept these terms as a just and fair measure of their constitutional rights. Section one further provides that ordinary taxes, national and state, shall as now, be paid out of operating revenue; but war taxes accruing under the act of October 3, 1917, are to be paid by the companies out of their own funds, or charged against the standard return. In other words, the holders of railroad securities are to bear their own just portion of the war burden. Section one also requires that each agreement shall contain adequate and appropriate provisions for the maintenance and depreciation of the property and the creation of reserves so that the properties may at the end of federal control be returned to the owners in a condition substantially equivalent to their condition when taken over by the government.

Chairman Smith explained that in case of controversy over compensation the bill permits an appeal to the court of claims. The committee recommends, the report says, that improvements made by the government while the carriers are under government control should go to the railroads when they are returned to the security holders. This should be arranged through an agreement between the carriers and the president.

Termination of Control.

Discussing the provision inserted by the committee providing for the termination of government control eighteen months after the peace proclamation has been issued, the report says:

"It is possible that certain conditions may arose from federal control which will need adjustment before the properties are returned to their owners, and a reasonable period should intervene in which these conditions may be met and adjusted. It may be that the nation will be unwilling to return to the conditions obtaining, radically changing the relation of the government to the railroads from that now existing in the interstate commerce act as amended. Your committee has suggested a period of eighteen months, and they believe it will be found adequate for that purpose.

"There is also a provision to the effect that the president may, prior to July 1, next, relinquish control of such transportation systems as he may deem not needful or desirable, and may, thereafter, on agreement, relinquish all or any part of any system of transportation.

"The section also contains a general provision that the president may relinquish all railroads at any time when he shall deem such action needful or desirable."

DUBLIN WOMEN USE CLUBHOUSE FUND FOR W. S. STAMPS

Dublin, Ga., February 6.—(Special.)—The club women of this city have decided to invest the money raised by them at a recent bazaar for a clubhouse fund in war savings stamps, in order to keep it at work while more money is being raised to add to it.

Something over $300 was cleared on the bazaar held in December, and as this sum will be added to from time to time, and would be left in the bank at compound interest, the ladies decided that it should be put to work helping win the war, as the war savings stamps can be turned into money readily under the government's plan of selling, should it be suddenly needed.

MARYLAND LOWER HOUSE FAVORS DRY AMENDMENT

Annapolis, Md., February 7.—A resolution endorsing the proposed national prohibition amendment, which already has been adopted in the Maryland senate, was passed to the third reading in the lower house tonight, 58 to 42. An amendment providing for a referendum was defeated in both houses, and supporters of the resolution regard its passage as virtually assured.

Backers of a state bone-dry law are said to be preparing to introduce it immediately should the national amendment resolution be finally adopted in the house.

ARMORED CARS USED ON PETROGRAD MOBS

London, February 7.—Looting has again broken out in Petrograd and on Tuesday and Wednesday many wine cellars were sacked by mobs, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company. Armored cars were used by the authorities against the pillagers, many of whom were killed or injured.

ALLIED MISSIONS REPORTED EXPELLED.

Stockholm, February 7.—The Finnish railway authorities at Torneo have received a report that the allied missions have been expelled from Petrograd and that they have already departed. There is no confirmation of this. The American minister at Stockholm, Ira Nelson Morris, has heard nothing to that effect.

Great disorders in the streets of Petrograd are reported, with much shooting and looting of supplies.

VAGUE REPORTS FOG PEACE CONFERENCE.

London, February 7.—The resumption of the peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk today, if it occurs, will take place in a fog of vague reports and contradictions as far as the outside world is concerned.

Statements in many German newspapers indicate a probable breach between the Germans and the Bolsheviki and the conclusion of a separate arrangement between the central powers and the Ukraine. No light on the situation comes from Russian sources.

A dispatch from the Petrograd correspondent of The Daily News under Tuesday's date says there has been no direct telegraphic news received there from Brest-Litovsk for four days. The Germans alleged that the wires were damaged, whereupon the Russians similarly "damaged" the direct wire between Petrograd and Berlin used by the Austro-German delegation.

Foreign Minister Trotzky is reported to be at Brest-Litovsk but nothing has been heard from him.

The Bolshevik government, according to a Petrograd dispatch to The Times is proposing to revolutionize China by supporting the movements in the southern provinces against the central Chinese government. A Russian delegate will be sent to southern China to work on this plan. The object is to produce a socialistic revolutionary agitation with a view to helping to break down China's refusal to let Russia have Chinese produce.

LICENSES NEEDED BY ALL WHO SELL EXPLOSIVES HERE

Carlos Mason, government explosive inspector for Georgia, again directed attention Thursday to the necessity, both as a protection to business and human life and to avoid the consequences of violation of the law that every person who handles, sells, purchases or stores explosives secure a license. Small arms and cartridges are made an exception which the regulations do not cover. Some photographic supplies are included.

Licenses are to be obtained from the county inspector, who in most instances is the clerk of the county court.

Mr. Mason is calling on all newspapers and loyal citizens to co-operate by reporting infringments to county, state or federal authorities. One year imprisonment or $5,000 fine, or both, is the penalty for any violation. As the exigencies of the time compel a drastic enforcement of this law, Mr. Mason is anxious to give information and do everything that will save both people and the government the expense of prosecution.

Mr. Mason's office is on the second floor of the court house.

ANOTHER U. S. TROOPER WOUNDED IN ACTION

Washington, February 7.—General Pershing today reported Private Jacob Cirlo, infantry, slightly wounded in action February 4. No details were given. A brother lives at Iron River, Mich.

Eat More Corn says Bobby



You don't miss wheat when you eat POST TOASTIES

Clearance



for today and tomorrow

We can't recall the day when our stock was clearer of broken sizes and odd lots than it is today. Perhaps that is why these three little groups, altogether not more than a hundred pairs, should appear so big to our eyes.

We won't feel satisfied, though, as long as a pair of this bunch remains, so we have assembled them according to desirability and for two days—today and tomorrow—they will be sold for a song.

Mind you, we don't promise to fit everybody; in fact, you will be lucky to find your size, but it is worth your while to come and see. However, pretty much every size is represented in some one style or another.

And if you buy a pair, please don't ask to have them exchanged, or for a refund, as this is the wind-up—the last of the broken lots.

$5.85 is the price we have marked one lot of Hanan Boots and Oxfords, which formerly sold at $9. These are patent leather shoes of various styles.

$3.85 embraces a line of Boots and Oxfords which we sold heretofore at $5 and $6 per pair. They are mostly patent leathers and a few black kidskins.

$2.85 is the final price for a lot of remnants—Boots, hardly any two pairs of a kind, but mighty good values, as they formerly sold at $4.50 per pair.

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Some hundred or more, in excellent models, especially adapted for growing girls and women of small figure. Charming styles in fact, and of superb materials.

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Also at half price—"H. & W." elastic girdles, in short and medium lengths—just a few.

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Fresh styles, excellent materials. At 49c they are remarkable values.

About March 1, 1918, we will move into our new store—at 86, 88, 90, 92, 94 and 96 Whitehall Street—about 60 normal paces from our present location. The exact date will be announced later.

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Society

Washington Ball To Be Beautiful Event At Driving Club.

The Junior League's George and Martha Washington ball which will be given at the Piedmont Driving club the evening of the 22d promises to be one of the largest and most beautiful entertainments of the winter.

Miss Marian Stearns is general chairman of the ball, Miss Mary Murphey, chairman of the program, and Mrs. Philip L'Engle, chairman of the ticket committee. The members of the league and those assisting them will wear charming colonial costumes and an appropriate setting will be furnished in the decorations which will be the work of the young women promoting the ball.

Miss Elizabeth Blanc is chairman of decorations, and chairmen of the groups who meet twice a week for the purpose of making cherry blossoms and favors are Miss Dorothy Arkwright, Miss Dorothy High, Miss Lillian Mitchell, Miss Lamar Slaton and Miss Marian Stearns.

Taking part in the tableaux which will be a part of the evening's program will be a number of the prettiest young women in society. Miss Margaret McCarty, Miss Julia Murphy and Miss Eloise Robinson are a committee to sell cigarettes.

Tickets will be $5 for a couple, $3 for a stag, the admission to include supper.

Tickets may be bought from any member of the league and will also be on sale at Camp Gordon for the officers.

"Revue De Danse" For Red Cross Benefit.

Mrs. William Claer Spiker will direct a novel and beautiful entertainment for the benefit of the Atlanta chapter of the Red Cross the latter part of this month. Her students of aesthetic dancing will take part, and the program will be markedly artistic.

Mrs. Spiker was in conference yesterday with the entertainment committee of the Red Cross, of which Mrs. Joseph Raine is chairman. Mrs. Frank S. Ellis heads a sub-committee to cooperate directly with Mrs. Spiker in making the forthcoming benefit a success. The program will be in the nature of a "danse revue."

Belgian Artists Produce Exquisite Musical Ensemble

"There is a rare treat in store for Atlantans who go to hear the Belgian trio to appear in concert at the Atlanta theater on the 16th," said an Atlanta man yesterday who has recently returned from Canada.

"I attended a concert they gave in Montreal, and I have never heard anything more exquisite."

Miss Gabrielle Radoux is the pianist, Miss Daisy Jean is the harpist of the trio, and sometimes she varies the ensemble by substituting the 'cello, which her musicianship compasses with equal ease. Jan Collignon is the singer, a base-baritone of reputation in European capitals.

As announced Sunday, the concert is being sponsored by a committee of prominent Atlanta women, of whom Mrs. John M. Slaton is chairman, and this committee announces that tickets are now on sale at the Georgian Terrace hotel, Ponce de Leon apartments and the cigar stands at the Winecoff, Ansley, Piedmont, Aragon, Kimball, Lester's book store and Cole Book Co.

These may be exchanged for reserved seats at the Atlanta theater box office Friday and Saturday, the 15th and 16th. The prices are: First floor, first 18 rows, one dollar; last four rows, 75 cents; balcony, first four, one dollar; next four, seventy-five cents; last five rows, fifty cents; gallery, first three reserved, fifty cents.

Kirkwood Civic League.

A most instructive war message was the keynote of the Kirkwood Civic league at its usual meeting on Tuesday afternoon.

The president, Mrs. A. I. Branham, had invited Mr. McKinney and Mr. Kenimer to speak on the War Saving stamps.

Mr. McKinney aroused much interest by his eloquent discourse on the reasons why all should purchase the war thrift stamps. For an hour he held his large audience in close attention, his talk being interposed with many practical and pleasing anecdotes.

So effective was his appeal for an immediate drive for the purchase of the thrift stamps that it was decided to begin at that very hour to make arrangements.

Mrs. Kate Greene Hess was appointed to present the work to the school children and offer three prizes for the largest subscriptions.

Mrs. Greene and Mrs. Ware will look after the contestants. The first prize will be $3 and the other two $2 and $1.

Mrs. McCord Roberts made a motion that the league buy a stamp. This was passed and the treasurer told to buy $50 worth of stamps. Mr. McKinney was given a rising vote of thanks for his interesting address.

After a half-hour social chat over the tea cups the meeting adjourned.

Vesper Musicale Sunday Afternoon.

A vesper musicale at the Unitarian church on West Peachtree street Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock for the benefit of the Red Cross will combine religion and patriotism.

The program is under the direction of Miss Mary Potter, organist and choir leader, and she will be assisted by the pastor, Rev. Warren Swisher, formerly of New London, Conn.

No admittance will be charged and the free-will offering will be given to the Red Cross.

Dr. Bradley Here.

Dr. Francis Bradley, representing the United States child bureau, passed through Atlanta yesterday en route to Tift county.

She held a conference on the subject of the national child-saving movement, which will begin in April, in Dr. Abercrombie's office in the state capitol. At the conference were Mrs. Samuel Inman, Mrs. Samuel Lumpkin, Mrs. Edward T. Brown and Mrs. Frederick Hodgson. The movement will be pushed in Georgia through the state health department, and the woman's committee, Council of National Defense.

McRee-Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Easkine McRee announce the marriage of their daughter, Martha, to Dr. Harry James Vaughan, U. S. N., formerly of Atlanta.

The marriage was solemnized Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock at St. Luke's Episcopal church, in Norfolk, Va., where the bridegroom is detailed.

James E. McRee, father of the bride; Dr. C. J. Vaughan, the bridegroom's father and Mrs. Clyde Zerkle were among the Atlantans present at the wedding.

Dr. Vaughan and his bride will make their home in Norfolk, Va., for the present.

Mrs. Bedell's Luncheon.

Mrs. William Bedell entertained the debutants of last year at an informal buffet luncheon yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Dunson, in Ansley Park.

The morning was spent in making cherry blossoms, which will be decorations for the Junior League's Washington ball on the 22d.

Mrs. Dunson, Mrs. W. B. Willingham, Jr., and Mrs. Kirkwood Smith assisted in entertaining.

Mrs. Bedell wore wistaria colored olga crepe combined with embroidered chiffon.

Drama Study.

The Drama league study class met in the assembly room Carnegie library yesterday morning. Mrs. Harris lectured on "The History of the Russian Drama." Mrs. W. C. Jarnigan read the last act of Maxim Gorky's "The Children of the Sun," and the reading was followed by a discussion of the play.

Woman's Relief Corps.

Woman's relief corps, Red Cross auxiliary, will hold a special rally today at the Red Cross house and all members and interested friends are urgently requested to attend. Much work is needed at once. Despite the consistent efforts of the members of the corps, the work has accumulated, hence the rally day is planned.

For Soldier Convalescents.

For the soldiers at Camp Gordon who are convalescents a recreation and rest room is planned to be equipped by Mrs. Chalenor's committee, which announces a card party for the purpose this afternoon.

It will be given at 3 o'clock at the Piedmont hotel and tickets are 50 cents. Prizes will be awarded at each table and reservations may be made through the Piedmont hotel or by telephone to Mrs. Drury Powers, Hemlock 1492-J; Mrs. Farley, Hemlock 880, or Mrs. Chalenor, Hemlock 1484-L.

Those who do not play cards, but would wish to contribute to this fund for the comfort and happiness of the sick sldiers may communicate with Mrs. Chalenor.

Thrift Meetings In Kirkwood.

A thrift stamp meeting was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. I. Branham, president of the Civic league, of Kirkwood, about fifty ladies being present who have organized themselves into thrift societies to forward the campaign in this community. An address was delivered by Honorable C. D. McKinney, chairman of DeKalb county of the national war savings committee, the speaker being introduced by C. M. Kenimer, chairman of the Kirkwood district.

Messrs. McKinney and Kenimer also appeared before the schools of Kirkwood Wednesday morning, where Mr. McKinney delivered addresses to the different grades and started the organization among the school children. Although the schools have been closed in Kirkwood for the past month, about three-fourths of the children have already bought stamps and had already started the movement. The executive committee of Kirkwood will meet with the DeKalb county executive committee at Decatur Friday evening, the 8th, at 8 o'clock, at the Board of Trade building, when reports from the various county committees will be heard from.

Annual Social Meeting.

The annual social meeting of the woman's board of Oglethorpe university, which is usually held in January, has been postponed this year on account of weather conditions. It will probably be called to meet in late February or early March.

This social meeting of the board is perhaps the most popular of all and many of the ladies are looking forward to it.

Wai Ki Ki Club.

The Wai Ki Ki club will entertain at their regular informal dance on Saturday evening, February 9, 1918, at Segadlo's on East Pine street. An excellent program of music has been arranged for the occasion. All members of other clubs and friends of the club are invited.

Christian Church Cafe.

The restaurant which is being conducted in the basement of the Connally building by the ladies of the First Christian church will be conducted today by the following ladies:

Mrs. John Q. Perdue, Mrs. J. R. Gentry, Mrs. W. B. Knopf, Mrs. L. O. Turner, Mrs. C. G. Edmondson, Mrs. Larham, Mrs. H. C. Bailey, Mrs. John Ficklen, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Toney, Mrs. S. J. Chamberlain, Mrs. W. P. Thornton, Mrs. John Toler, Mrs. J. R. Hardan, Mrs. Owens, Mrs. B. F. Cobb, Mrs. J. W. Moore, Mrs. E. M. Willey, Mrs. R. M. Pettes, Mrs. A. A. Brooke, Mrs. R. A. Burnett, Mrs. Will Jones, Mrs. Louis Squires.

DINNER.

Chicken Soup, Crackers.
Fish. Mashed Potatoes.
Baked Apples. Hot Rolls.
Tea or Coffee. Ice Cream or Pie.

LUNCH.

Fish. Mashed Potatoes.
California Peaches. Hot Rolls.
Ice Cream or Pie.

Writers' Club.

At the meeting of the Writers' club Saturday afternoon at 4:30 at Edison hall, a feature of the program will be the reading of poems by Mrs. Clark, of Fort McPherson, a talented writer. "The Vision," "Wages of Sin," and "Little Tin Soldier" will be Mrs. Clark's selections.

Mr. E. Everett Hollingsworth will give some technical information about the writing of matter for the daily papers, explaining the acceptable form of submitting articles, and a former Atlanta newspaper woman, just returned from a stay of some time in New York, will speak of the work of women on the newspapers and also in politics in the metropolis.

The business session will include election of officers.

Vesper Club Dance.

An event of the evening will be the informal dance given by the Vesper club at its club rooms.

Birthday Party.

A happy occasion of Tuesday afternoon was the children's party given by Mrs. John W. Aiken at her home on Fifteenth street for her little granddaughter, Frances Aiken Odell, whose fifth birthday it was.

The decorations in red and white were suggestive of Valentine day.

Piercing a big red heart with an arrow was among the merry contest games played.

Refreshments were served in the dining room, where the Valentine idea was continued in the decorations and souvenirs.

A basket of red carnations was in the center of the table and radiating from it were red ribbons extending to the places with red hearts attached.

The birthday cake at one end of the table was embossed in hearts. Little Miss Odell was a dainty figure in white organdie trimmed with pink rosebuds and green ribbons.

There were thirty guests.

War Workers Training School Will Be Conducted in South

Atlanta War Work Council Will Request the National Body to Locate Institution at Camp Gordon--Committee Will Urge Action.

Announcement was made at the meeting Thursday of the Atlanta War Work Council, that the National War Work Council is planning to open a Southern Training school for the purpose of training women for war work and the school is to be at some cantonment center.

With the same enthusiasm that prompts the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce to go straight after and to get about everything worth having, that is scheduled for the southeastern section, the women of the Atlanta council will use every effort and influence to bring the training school to Atlanta.

Since Atlanta is the logical center and since the hostess house at Camp Gordon is already being used by the National War Work council as a training center for workers for the southeastern section, it is believed the training school will be opened here, financed and supported by the national board.

Urges Training School.

Mrs. E. P. McBurney, vice chairman, who presided at Thursday's meeting in the absence of Mrs. Emily C. MacDougald, chairman, spoke strongly in favor of Atlanta having such a training school for girls and women of the southeastern section and a committee will be appointed to confer with the national board.

Another important feature of the meeting was the decision to request the National War Work council to send a special employment expert to Atlanta to investigate industrial conditions with the view of establishing, as a department of the Young Women's Christian association, an employment bureau, to aid and train the Atlanta workers who will have the department in charge.

In the early fall Mayor Candler and Commissioner Henry M. Stanley, of the state department of commerce, wrote the Y. W. C. A., stressing the need in Atlanta of such employment service as the War Work council was then planning to do, both writers voluntarily indorsing the council's plans.

Financial Reports.

Mrs. John M. Slaton, chairman of the War Work finance committee, read a report that showed the responsibility of the chairman and her committee, this report being followed by the report of the treasurer of both the Y. W. C. A. and the War Work council, Miss Genevieve Saunders.

Mrs. Dirnberger, general secretary of the hostess house, read a report of the splendid work being done at the hostess house for soldiers and their relatives and friends who come to visit them. Mrs. Dirnberger was followed by Miss Nadine Overall, war worker, who is doing Patriotic league work in the small towns surrounding Camp Gordon.

Miss Miriam Shepherd, Y. W. C. A. Extension secretary, talked brilliantly of the opportunity there is in Atlanta for such employment bureau service as the War Work is planning. Miss Irma Finley, general secretary of the Y. W. C. A., told of the success of the soldiers' parties that are being given at the association.

Junior War Work Council.

Miss Elizabeth Gregg, chairman of the Junior War Work council, announced that the Junior council has secured the Auditorium for March 9, and there the 1,500 girls of the Patriotic league will entertain with "stunt night," each league unit to have three minutes in which to perform their stunts. Mrs. McBurney and the council assured Miss Gregg of their support and co-operation.

Mrs. Clem Harris, chairman of the cafeteria committee, announced that she and her committee are taking jellies, dainty desserts, fruit, anything that a sick man enjoys out to the convalescent soldiers at the Camp Gordon hospital.

Mrs. Harris urges Atlanta homekeepers wishing to help her committee to donate generously and often. Another request made by Mrs. Harris is that the flowers that are used at entertainments be sent afterwards to the Camp Gordon hospital instead of being kept by hostesses. Mrs. Harris and her committee will send for flowers or anything else that sick soldiers would enjoy.

Among those who led in the council discussions were Mrs. E. P. McBurney, vice chairman; Mrs. John M. Slaton, Mrs. Frank Inman, Miss Louise Fitten, Mrs. E. H. Goodhart, Mrs. Ashby Jones, Mrs. Clem Harris, Mrs. W. S. Elkin, Mrs. Alex King, Miss Elizabeth Gregg, Mrs. Henry Jackson, Mrs. A. R. Colcord, Mrs. Porter King, Miss Genevieve Saunders, Mrs. A. McD. Wilson, Mrs. B. B. Crew, Mrs. A. E. Thornton, Sr., Mrs. S. F. Boykin, Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. J. D. Osborne, Mrs. Marshall Johnson, Mrs. Dirnberger, Mrs. George Vedder, Miss Irma Finley, Miss Edna Sammis, Miss Miriam Shepherd, Miss Nadine Overall.

Miss Molly Courtney, Mrs. Minna Waddell, Miss Katisue Moore and Miss Marianne Rea were Y. W. C. A. visitors.

GEORGIA SCHOOL BOYS FILLING "Y" PLEDGES

High school boys of the state of Georgia have already earned and paid over $2,000 on the $16,077 they pledged to the Army Y. M. C. A. fund. Malcolm Lockhart, executive secretary of the Y. M. C. A. war fund, states that this shows marked interest as almost all of these pledges are not due until April.

Mr. Lockhart has just received the following letter from R. W. Ramirez, principal of the high school in Brunswick:

"In reply to yours of the 9th instant I would say that I am following a plan which I gladly submit to your consideration. I have bought a large record book and one of the boys has prepared a picture representing a Y. M. C. A. hut. Then comes the title page: "What We Did For the Great War;" after this clippings from both national and local press regarding the Y. M. C. A. fund and campaign, then the pledge and under it the signatures of the pupils. When all payments are turned in by April 1, I'll have the whole faculty to sign this book also. Then some of the boys we are helping. Under this we will write the names of every graduate or student of this school who has been either conscripted or enrolled voluntarily in the army and navy. Last of all, "How We Made Our Money." This is a statement of the kind of work done to earn the money pledged. This book will then be deposited in our library and kept there as a souvenir."

This school has already remitted one-third of its total subscription.

Death of Miss Mackubin, Noted Portrait Painter.

The announcement of the death of Miss Florence Mackubin, noted portrait painter, which occurred in Baltimore on February 2, will be received with keen regret by those Atlanta people who knew her either as woman or artist.

She was a sister of Mrs. A. R. Nininger, who left Atlanta only a few weeks ago, accompanying the body of her husband, who was buried in St. Paul, Minn. Mrs. Nininger was with her sister for two weeks before Miss Mackubin's death.

The work by which Miss Mackubin's art is best known in Atlanta is a miniature of Joel Chandler Harris, although she also did the portraits of other Atlantans.

Born in Florence, Italy, she studied art in the art centers of Europe.

One of her most noteworthy works is a painting of Queen Henrietta Maria, after whom the state of Maryland was named, this commission coming from the governor and board of public works of Maryland. The painting, which is a copy of the original Van Dyke, hangs in the state house at Annapolis.

The Baltimore American in a sketch of Miss Mackubin, at the time of her death, says:

"Few Americans have painted so many distinguished foreigners as Miss Mackubin, and she was particularly successful in England. When she was commissioned to go to Warwick castle to copy the famous Van Dyke portrait of Henrietta Maria, Lady Warwick was so charmed with the popular Baltimore artist that she asked her to paint her portrait. She was entertained while there on numerous occasions and was overwhelmed with orders. Among the notable accomplishments of Miss Mackubin were the copies of the portraits of George and Cecilius Calvert, first and second barons of Baltimore. The original of these pictures hang in the castle of Sir William Eden, at Windlestone, England.

"At the St. Louis exposition Miss Mackubin exhibited a life-size oil painting of Cardinal Gibbons, which later was taken to the rooms of the Maryland Historical society."

Trustees of Georgia Baptist Orphans' Home In Meeting Wednesday

A meeting of the trustees of the Georgia Baptist Orphans' Home association was held in the Second Baptist church on Wednesday. The home at Hapeville is supported by the Baptists of Georgia. The board of trustees is elected by the state convention. The officers are: Mrs. W. R. Anderson, president; John M. Green, Mrs. A. J. Moore, Dr. A. T. Spalding, vice presidents; J. M. Daniel, treasurer; Mrs. E. L. Connally, secretary, and Mrs. Henry Durand, treasurer.

Two of the trustees, Mrs. A. J. Moore and Mrs. Cornelius V. Goodwyn, have served continuously since 1888, when the home was opened in Atlanta.

There are now 250 children under the care of Mr. T. S. Scoggins, the general manager, and a corps of efficent workers.

The report showed the children in a fine state of health, after over 100 cases of measles, with six cases of pneumonia. An expenditure of $31,626.06 for current support in 1917 and a debt of $20,000 for land and buildings was reduced to $5,000, with a hope that it may be entirely wiped out by the Baptists.

There are about seventy acres of land opposite the depot in Hapeville, on which the home is built, and the girls and boys do all the work on the farm and in the cottages.

At this meeting four new trustees elected in November were welcomed—Rev. C. P. McGinty, of Cartersville; Rev. J. L. Claxton, of Edison, Ga.; Mrs. F. C. McConnell, of Atlanta, and Mrs. V. C. Macon, of College Park. Two were elected—Mrs. Thomas H. Pitts and Mrs. Andrew P. Stewart—to fill vacancies.

At the end of the meeting resolutions were read, while all stood, to the memory of Mrs. A. J. Orme, Sr., who died on December 19, last. Mrs. Orme was a life member of the trustees, one of the vice presidents and chairman of the executive committee. The resolutions refer to her splendid life and works and speak of the happiness her connection with the association brought to her associates there. They will be inscribed on a special memorial page of the minute book.

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Competitors will be examined in spelling, arithmetic, letter writing, penmanship, copying from plain copy and reading addresses. Each applicant must submit a photograph of himself taken within two years.

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—Twelve strand dipped silk hose with wide lisle tops, "Philadelphia Maid." Black, white and the best selling colors. Pair, $1.25.

—"Philadelphia Maid," ten-strand dipped silk hose, wide, comfy tops of lisle, black and white only, pair, $1.10.

—Dipped silk hose, eight-strand, made with wide lisle tops, black and white only, "Philadelphia Maid" brand, pair, $1.00.

—"Beaton" brand, silk and linen hose with 15-in., full-fashioned boot. Colors are Cordovan, brown, tan, beaver, olive drab, dove, mist gray, black and white; pair, 85c.

—Women's full-fashioned boot silk hose, "Philadelphia Maid," colors black, white, navy, pink, silver and champagne, extraordinary values, at pair, 75c.

—Women's thread silk boot hose and full length fibre hose, in black, white, light gray, navy and champagne, pair, 60c.

—"Burlington" brand full-fashioned silk lisle hose, in brown, Russia calf and gray, splendid values, pair, 55c.

—"Buster Brown" silk-lisle hose with fashioned legs and seamless feet, white only; also, "Conqueror" brand seamless silk-lisle, black only, pair, 50c.

—"Arrow Head" medium weight cotton hose, black and white only, unmatchable values, 3 pairs for 50c, or per pair, 19c.

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1 cup milk
3 level teaspoons baking powder
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Process: Cream Cottolene, add one cup sugar gradually, stirring constantly. Beat yolks thick and light, add remaining cup sugar gradually, continue beating. Combine mixtures, mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt. Add to first mixture alternately with milk. Add flavoring and fold in the whites of eggs beaten stiff and dry. Bake 15 minutes in a moderate oven.

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We have a full range of the most desirable widths, in plain, dots, rosebud and cloverleaf designs. Colors are white, flesh, pink and light blue.

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MEETINGS

The annual election will be the chief feature of the meeting of the Atlanta Writers' club at Edison hall, Saturday at 4 o'clock. A program of special interest will be announced. A full attendance of members and their friends is requested by the president, Mrs. Lollie Belle Wylie.

The Business Women's league of the First Methodist church, South, will hold its regular monthly meeting at the First Methodist church Friday evening, February 8. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock. All members are urgently requested to be present.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Young Men's Christian association meets this (Friday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. building, on Luckie street.

Georgia division, No. 337, L. A. to O. R. C., will hold a regular meeting this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

A regular meeting of Atlanta chapter, No. 67, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held in the Masonic temple, corner of Cain and Peachtree streets, this evening at 8 o'clock. There will be work in the degrees. Visitors welcome.

SOCIAL ITEMS

Mrs. S. W. Foster, who is spending some time at Hampton Springs, Fla., is spending this week in Jacksonville attending the state conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

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Miss Caroline Blount left Wednesday for San Antonio, Texas, where she will visit Miss Emma Giesecke.

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Mrs. Allen Johnson entertained at luncheon yesterday at her home on Seventeenth street, in compliment to Mrs. James Maxwell Couper, of New York, the guest of Mrs. F. M. Farley, Jr.

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Mrs. Charles Neville Davis returned Sunday from Mobile, Ala., where she was called in November on account of the death of her sister, Mrs. William Deegan, and later was called to Texas on account of the death of her brother, Mr. James B. Neville, of El Paso.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Lowndes, Jr., are the guests of Miss Emily Lowndes during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. George Lowndes, Sr., in Florida.

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The North Avenue Parent Teacher association will hold its regular meeting Friday, February 8, at 3:30 o'clock. Mr. Russell will give a talk on gardening. All are invited.

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Miss Arline Scully is quite ill with lagrippe.

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Mrs. Frank Potts left Wednesday for Florida to spend several weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Trigg Gumm, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jere Gumm on Ponce de Leon avenue.

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Lieutenant and Mrs. L. W. Colfelt, of Philadelphia, have returned from Florida. Mrs. Colfelt is at the Georgian Terrace while Lieutenant Colfelt is at Camp Gordon.

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Mrs. J. M. Gray, Jr., and Miss Reba Wilson Gray, of Nashville, and Miss Betty Hoyt, of Chicago, left yesterday for Florida.

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Mr. C. B. Hughes, Jr., ensign, U. S. N., will return Saturday to Wilmington.

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An event of this evening will be the usual dinner-dance at the Georgian Terrace hotel.

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Mr. George B. Post, of New York, is the guest of Mr. George B. Post, Jr., of the aviation school, and Mrs. Post, at the Georgian terrace.

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Major and the Comtesse de Reviers have leased the home of Mrs. Oscar Pappenheimer for the spring months and will take possession next week. Captain de Beaurieux will reside with them. Mrs. Pappenheimer will spend several weeks at the Georgian Terrace before going to Washington and New York for a visit.

FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN

Women Praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for Health Restored.

In almost every neighborhood in America are women who have tried this standard remedy for female ills and know its worth.

Athol, Mass.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me a world of good. I suffered from a weakness and a great deal of pain every month and nothing brought me any relief until I tried this famous medicine. I am a different woman since I took it and want others who suffer to know about it."—Mrs. ARTHUR LAWSON, 559 Cottage St., Athol, Mass.

San Francisco, Cal.—"I was in a very weak nervous condition, having suffered terribly from a female trouble for over five years. I had taken all kinds of medicine and had many different doctors and they all said I would have to be operated on, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me entirely and now I am a strong well woman."—Mrs. H. ROSSKAMP, 1447 Devisadero St., San Francisco, Cal.

For special advice in regard to such ailments write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of its many years experience is at your service.

GEORGIA LABOR ASKS ANTI-INJUNCTION LAW

Louie Marquardt Pleased With Interest Shown in Movement at Meeting.

Georgia labor this year will direct its efforts politically towards obtaining the enactment by the legislature of a state anti-injunction law, Louie P. Marquardt, president of Georgia Federation of Labor, announced yesterday on his return from a conference with labor leaders in Augusta, Ga.

Mr. Marquardt was greatly pleased with the interest manifested at the conference and says that he is sure that the fight will be carried to every member of the legislature before that body meets in June.

The anti-injunction bill was introduced just before the close of the last session of legislature, and it is expected that it will be brought up for action early in the next session.

This bill provides that no judge in Georgia shall sign an injunction to prevent the lawful operations of the labor union, peaceful strikes, and the boycotting of unfair firms.

Under the terms of the Clayton law such injunctions are already prohibited in the United States courts.

President Marquardt stated that he was satisfied that the effects of the conference held in Augusta will be felt all over the state, and he expects to visit a number of Georgia cities during the next few weeks in continuation of the campaign.

MEN EXEMPTED BY FULTON BOARD ARE RE-EXAMINED

The Fulton county exemption board on Thursday began re-examination for many white registrants who had been examined and exempted by the old exemption board of this county, which was recently discharged upon orders from Washington.

Calls have gone out for fifty registrants a day to appear for examination, and it is understood that several hundred will be re-examined, from which it is expected that the board's delinquency of 196 men for service will be made up.

Georgia Is Stirred By Thrift Campaign, Asserts L. P. Wood

Lyman P. Wood, a leading worker in the thrift campaign, while in Atlanta Thursday, reported wonderful success in this work throughout the entire state. Mr. Wood is holding conferences in each congressional district of Georgia, in which are gathered the district chairmen and the county chairmen of the district. These meetings have already taken place at Columbus, Americus, Albany, Waycross, Dublin, Savannah and Augusta, while another will be held at Macon Friday.

Local ideas and original ideas are being sought for and encouraged by these conferences. Mr. Wood says people all over the state were responding in a splendid way and often undergoing loss of considerable time from their business and other inconveniences. He stated that the co-operation of the county papers was very general and of invaluable assistance.

Mother Urges Court To Annul Marriage Of Young School Boy

A youthful romance was revealed yesterday in a petition filed in the superior court by Mrs. J. D. Brooks to annul a marriage which was contracted January 27 between her 15-year-old son, Charles W. Hatfield, who is in the seventh grade of the Crew Street public school, and Miss Nell Robison, one of the pretty ushers at the Grand theater, who is 22 years old.

Mrs. Brooks claims that because of her son's youth he is irresponsible for his action, and that the "girl in the case" artfully persuaded and induced the lad to elope with her.

If the request of the petition is granted, Charlie will resume his studies at school instead of taking up matrimonial duties, as he had anticipated.

NEW YORK'S SHORTAGE OF FUEL IS RELIEVED

New York, February 7.—Emergency deliveries of coal today enabled many factories to continue operations and others to reopen after being closed for short periods, and brought cheer to thousands of homes and apartments. Warmer weather also gave promise of increased coal receipts, although ice floes in the harbor continued to hamper the movements of tugs and barges. Workmen have returned and barges are being loaded with greater facility. Fuel administrators and distributors predicted today that within 48 hours the coal famine would be overcome.

The report of the department of health announcing 73 deaths from pneumonia in the 24 hours up to noon yesterday—a record for the period in the past five days—emphasized the seriousness of the coal situation. The great increase in pneumonia cases was attributed to the cold wave and inability of many persons to protect themselves against it.

THE MARVELOUS A-I-M STORY

Years of Search End on Almost Forsaken Farm in Mississippi.

Medicinal Discovery Made Poverty-Stricken Family Rich.

Everybody knew iron was good for people, but to find it in medicinal form like in Acid Iron Mineral was where the trouble came, and while chemists were making tinctures, pills and tonics from "metallic iron" that was apt to ruin teeth, upset people's stomachs, etc., a farmer by the name of Horn, almost destitute, was barely getting enough to eat for himself and family on his little farm down in Mississippi.

The windows to his house lacked window panes and in their place were old bits of rags and clothing to keep out the insects, cold and drafts.

Colored Man Found It.

Then one day a darkey, old and decrepit, blood diseased and slowly dying with great sores upon his limbs and body, which it was said could never be cured, started digging a ditch and came upon this great medicinal iron deposit buried beneath a marble-like rock and clay covering, which sheltered it from atmosphere and water down through the unknown centuries since the all-wise Creator put it there.

How the old darkey was cured by contact with this mineral and how that poor family near Hickory, Mississippi, suddenly became rich through leasing this deposit for ninety-nine years to the Ferrodine Chemical Corporation forms another chapter of this wonderful story.

Today, this Chemical Corporation, with latest methods, takes the mineral and by a process of filtering, concentrating, testing and bottling makes it possible for anyone to visit the nearest drug store and procure it for the home treatment of blood, rheumatic, stomach, and digestion troubles, and doctors, hospitals and surgeons acclaim it a splendid preparation and so cheap, so powerful, so good and free from injurious opiates, narcotics and alcohol, old and young may take it. Just a half to one teaspoonful in a glass of water makes a better, stronger iron tonic for you. The following stores have it, or a one-ounce bottle will be sent anywhere on receipt of price by the Ferrodine Chemical Corp., Roanoke, Va.:

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Decatur, Smith's Pharmacy.
Elberton, C. F. Herndon.
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Hartwell, Herndon's Pharmacy.
Jefferson, Bennett & Dickson.
Kennesaw, Kennesaw Drug Co.
Macon, Palmetto Pharmacy.
Newnan, John R. Gates.
Rockmart, W. A. Poole.
Rome, Hale-Jarvis Co.
Stone Mountain, Whittaker Drug Co.
—(adv.)

GLASS MAKES REPLY TO BAKER'S CRITICS

Follows Chamberlain's Speech Point by Point and Praises Work of Administration in Each Instance.

Washington, February 7.—Representative Glass, in a speech delivered in the house today, came to the defense of the administration, answered the charges contained in Senator Chamberlain's indictment of the war department and denied that the American war machine has "fallen down."

Mr. Glass followed Senator Chamberlain's speech, point by point, and praised the work of the administration in each instance. He said that it was General Joffre who suggested supplying American troops with ammunition from French factories, "since it would save the unavoidable delays, the pressingly needed cargo space, the tremendous cost of shipment."

Regarding the machine gun controversy, Mr. Glass asserted that the Browning gun was selected because experts pronounced it "the best machine gun in the world."

"The only prop on which the critics now rest their case," he said, "is the plea that the Lewis gun was immediately available, while deliveries of the Browning gun will be delayed.

"The American army in France has thousands of machine guns to go up against the enemy," he said. "It is as well equipped with machine guns as any army in Europe—perhaps better equipped than the German army. And no set of malcontents should be permitted to deceive the people of this country into the disturbing supposition that our fighting forces in France are suffering in equipment of any kind."

Regarding the health of the soldiers in camp, Mr. Glass referred to the conditions at Spartanburg, S. C., where he said there were only four deaths among 31,000 men during a period of more than three months.

Referring to the difficulties which the administration faced at the outbreak of the war, Representative Glass pointed out the success of the selective draft as a remarkable achievement.

"Not until the third year of the war could Great Britain venture to apply partially a conscription law," he said. "Not until a few months ago could Canada do it in opposition to the rebellious threat of one of its largest provinces. It has been done as to Ireland, and Australia has twice declined to attempt the system. And yet this republic instantly applied the democratic method of selective draft and the country responded with unparalleled spirit of patriotism. Great military cities were built almost overnight, and then without friction or hesitation, our boys went, offering their bodies and their lives in defense of human liberty. We have sent nearly ten times as many troops abroad as the French and English miltary missions had expected that we could do in the time required, and we have trained and are training an army far beyond the original estimates. This year we will have in France more than a million men."

SHORT SHRIFT FOR SPIES URGED BY N. Y. CHAMBER

New York, February 7.—Federal legislation compelling "the most severe treatment" of "spies" and "enemy agents" is recommended to congress in an executive committee report adopted by the chamber of commerce of the state of New York at a meeting here today. The report reads in part:

"The frequent outrages committed and the widespread activities of enemy agents suggest that as yet no sufficient punishment has been meted out to spies and plotters to deter others from engaging in equally nefarious acts.

"If existing federal statutes fail to provide sufficient penalties; if the rules of evidence hamper prosecutors, judges and juries; if the army and navy lack power to try by court-martial offenders apprehended in attempts to destroy government property, or to administer the customary penalty to spies; if we have no centralized secret service and if there are too many agencies working at cross purposes, needing co-ordination or reorganization, congress can and should pass such acts as would remedy these conditions; as would not only enable but compel the most severe treatment to any person or persons found conspiring against the property or the progress of the war efforts of the nation."

AMERICUS CITIZENS FIGHT LIGHT INCREASE

Americus, Ga., February 7.—(Special.) Certain citizens here oppose the granting of the petition of the Americus Lighting company for an increase in gas and electric rates in Americus, and at a meeting attended by about twenty-five citizens and several representatives of the lighting corporation, the matter was discussed. W. A. Dodson, attorney for the company, stated the company sustained a loss of $5,000 during the last six months of its operation, and offered on behalf of the owners to sell the plant to local interests at what it cost. Mr. Dodson also offered to allow a committee of citizens to examine the books of the corporation and ascertain the correctness of his statement that the plant is now operating at a loss. Stephen Pace, Lee Allen, J. E. Mathis, E. E. Schneider and C. J. Clarke were appointed a committee to consider the advisability of accepting Mr. Dodson's offer. This committee will also decide whether or not an electrical engineer will be employed to represent those opposing the petition when it is heard by the railroad commission in Atlanta February 20.

MACON MEN INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE SMASH

Macon, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—When the wheel of the automobile in which they were riding broke off, three Macon men were thrown from the car a mile this side of Perry yesterday, and one of them, E. M. Sinclair, was painfully injured. The other two, G. C. Munn, fireman for the Southern railway, and Roach Johnson, were only slightly bruised. Sinclair was cut on the ears and left-hand and his shoulder was badly bruised. He was brought to his home in Macon, where he received medical attention. The men were returning from a business trip to Perry.

TWO NEW MENINGITIS CASES FOUND IN MACON

Macon, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—Two new cases of spinal meningitis were reported here today, both being in the south Macon district. The victims are John Vinson, aged 7, negro, and Alice Seay, aged 7, white. This makes three cases developed within 48 hours. C. B. Hampton, employed at the Hephzibah Orphanage, having fallen a victim to the disease yesterday. He came here recently from Moultrie.

TRANSPORTATION STILL IS FAR BELOW NORMAL

Sudden Change in Weather, However, Brings Prospects of Speedy Relief.

Washington, February 7.—Sudden thawing weather today brought prospects of unexpected relief to railroads of the blizzerd-stricken east. They could not recover instantly from the bitter cold of the past few days, however, and coal transportation accordingly still was far below normal.

Fuel administration again had under consideration the abandonment of fuelless Mondays after next week, but today's reports did not add much to hopes that the industrial suspension order might be rescinded. It was pointed out that it would be several days before any decision could be reached on the effect of warmer weather on the railroads.

The anxiously-awaited moderation of temperatures may bring another source of trouble. Railroad administration officials are watching weather forecasts and reports on the height of water in streams in fear that sudden melting of accumulated snows may cause more damage to transportation than a blizzard.

Reports to the railroad and fuel administrations said it would take a week of moderate weather to restore even the same degree of order that prevailed last week.

Labor, however, was more plentiful today.

Coal still was frozen in cars which have been standing in the open for days, and it will take a day or two more of moderate temperature to thaw it out. At New York and other eastern ports, this caused difficulty in bunkering ships.

Reports from A. H. Smith, regional director of railroads in the east, said yesterday's coal and general freight movement was about 40 per cent below normal. State fuel administrators reported that reserve stocks of coal had disappeared in many cases, and that industries were preparing to shut down unless shipments were freer tomorrow.

The shortage of fuel in New England was little relieved, and ice in New York harbor hampered movement of coal by water. Conditions in Chesapeake bay and Baltimore harbor were reported "the worst ever known" by Mr. Smith.

Try Macon Hospital Doctor for Death of Boy Under Effect of Ether

Macon, Ga., February 7.—(Special.) Dr. W. W. Merriweather, one of physicians at the Macon hospital, is on trial in the Bibb superior court on a charge of involuntary manslaughter in the commission of a lawful act, he having been indicted several months ago following the death of George W. Hawkins, a lad who had received a fractured arm in an accident. Young Hawkins expired while on the operating table at the hospital after having been given ether. The offense of which the physician is charged is a misdemeanor.

The state closed its case late this evening, much of the day being taken up with the testimony of Dr. A. M. Anderson, called as an expert, the state endeavoring to show by him that Dr. Merriweather had not used sufficient caution in administering the anesthetic. The boy's father and Miss Bessie Bevil, the nurse who assisted Dr. Merriweather with the operation, were the only other witnesses called by the state. The boy's father testified that three doses of ether were administered and shortly after the third dose was given the lad was found to be dead. The trial will be resumed tomorrow.

3D DISTRICT EXTENSION SCHOOL OPENS TUESDAY

Americus, Ga., February 7.—(Special.) The winter extension school of the Third District Agricultural and Mechanical college will begin here next Tuesday and will continue three days. President J. M. Collum will be assisted in conducting the school by Professor Guy W. Firor, supervisor of extension schools in Georgia. Others who will be here are Mrs. Bessie Stanley Wood, Professor George A. Crabb, Professor James Godkin, Dr. C. A. Pyles, Mrs. Minnie Williams, Professor W. I. McCann, Professor J. A. Wood, Miss Ira Skinner, Professor Milton P. Jarnigan, Miss Rowena Long, Professor Milton C. Gay and Professor W. M. Burson.

U. S. TREASURER BURKE SPEAKS AT STATESBORO

Statesboro, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—United States Treasurer John Burke spoke to an audience of 3,000 people here today. Twenty automobiles went out to meet the speaker at Sunnyside school, three miles from Statesboro. Here he made a short talk to the children. Coming to Statesboro it was found the courthouse was filled to overflowing and it was necessary to hold the meeting in open air. Seventy-five per cent of his hearers were farmers representing every section of the country. His address was purely American, and if ever a doubt existed that Germany intended conquering the world it was dispelled by Mr. Burke.

HADEN URGES THRIFT STAMP SALES IN WARE

Waycross, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—Charles J. Haden, chairman for Atlanta and Fulton county committee of the war savings campaign, three years president of the Georgia State Chamber of Commerce, spoke to the students of the Waycross High school at the auditorium at noon today on "Thrift and Thrift Stamps."

Mr. Haden made a splendid talk to a packed audience, and was listened to with the closest attention. A meeting of the teachers and principals of the public schools was held here this afternoon at which Mr. Haden went more into detail as to the most effective way of handling thrift stamp campaigns.

Carpenter Fatally Hurt.

Macon, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—G. L. McMillian, a carpenter residing at 519 Plum street, was probably fatally injured here today when he fell from a ladder while at work on a two-story house on North street, East Macon. He received two fractured ribs and it is thought his skull is fractured. He also sustained internal injuries.

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YOUNG OFFICER HELD FOR VIOLATING SECRECY

Ordered to France, He Told Relative Ship and Sailing Date.

Washington, February 7.—A young army officer who confided to a relative the name of the ship on which he was going overseas and the date of sailing, is under arrest pending an investigation of whether his superiors properly instructed him concerning the requirement of secrecy.

In announcing the arrest tonight the war department did not disclose the officer's name. The purpose in giving publicity to the incident is to emphasize the department's determination to prevent the spread of information concerning the movement of transports.

This statement was issued:

"The war department authorized the announcement that a young officer is held in arrest because he divulged to a relative the name of the vessel upon which he was about to start overseas and the scheduled date of departure. As a result of this prohibited information the relative of the young officer, a first lieutenant, sent a telegram to him at the port of embarkation. This telegram, which was not in cipher, furnished information which, in the hands of the enemy, might have endangered the vessel and all aboard.

"The disclosure of such information by officers and men about to sail is strictly forbidden in general orders No. 94, war department, 1917, and warning is again issued that officers and men must not acquaint relatives or friends with details of arrangements for departure. Disciplinary action faces offenders.

"The case of the young officer in arrest in this instance is before the war department for action, following an investigation at the port of embarkation.

"There is also to be further inquiry to ascertain whether the immediate superior of the officer held in arrest properly instructed this officer as to the requirement of secrecy concerning the names of vessels and sailing dates."

STATE COURT WILL TRY CLEMENTS FOR FIRING ON BALLOON

Macon, Ga., February 7.—District Attorney E. M. Donaldson announced today that Clem Clements, who shot at a balloon in Dodge county Tuesday, would be tried in the state court of that county. He stated that he believed it would have a salutary effect if tried there.

There were three balloon flights here today, but none was fired upon.

TO INCREASE CAPACITY OF EASTMAN OIL MILL

Eastman, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—L. A. Wilson, who has been superintendent of the oil mill at Rutledge, Ga., for six years, was in Eastman this week making preparations to move his family here and to enter upon the duties as superintendent of the Eastman Oil Mills property acquired by his uncle, R. L. Wilson, of Macon.

Mr. Wilson stated that the Eastman Oil Mill would be rebuilt on the site it formerly occupied as quickly as possible, and that it would be ready for operation by next fall season. Plants at Sparta and Lawrenceville will be moved to this city, Mr. Wilson says, and a four-press mill for crushing cotton seed and peanuts will be installed.

MAY ORDER SPECIAL TERM OF U. S. COURT

Macon, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—Because of the fact that the Thirty-first division at Camp Wheeler is likely to be ordered away at any time, it is reported that a special term of the United States district court will be held here in March to dispose of a number of cases in which soldiers are the principal witnesses. Most of these cases have to do with violation of the war department's order against vice and the operation of lewd houses within five miles of an army camp. No definite decision has yet been reached by Judges Speer and Evens, known to be considering the matter at the request of District Attorney Donalson.

ASHLEY CHOSEN HEAD OF GA. FAIR MANAGERS

H. G. Hastings Tells How Local Fairs Can Help the War.

Valdosta, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—J. M. Ashley, of Valdosta, was elected president; James Bishop, of Eastman, vice president, and C. D. Meadows, of Rome, secretary-treasurer, of the Association of Georgia Fairs at the close of the two days' convention here today. Rome was selected as the next place of meeting.

One of the features of the convention was the address of H. G. Hastings, president of the Southeastern fair, of Atlanta, on "The Opportunity of State and County Fairs During the War." Mr. Hastings believes that one of the primal objects of the fairs should be to encourage the production of foodstuffs, and that the importance of this is greater today than ever before. He pleaded for more consideration toward farm labor, and pointed out some of the conditions and methods which have resulted in the enormous shortage of help on the farm.

The speaker advocated government exhibits at the fairs and believes that the millions of dollars spent in collecting and publishing the valuable information contained in the countless bulletins and booklets disseminated by federal agricultural department, would do materially more good if spent in preparing agricultural and industrial exhibits to be shown at the principal fairs in charge of competent men. An enormous percentage of the bulletins published by the department never reach the people who should be profitted thereby, but who would get a practical knowledge from the fair exhibit.

The convention which closed here today was one of the best yet held.

GLYNN GIRLS TO GET SEEDS AND CANS FREE

Brunswick, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—In order to increase home farming this spring 135 members of the Glynn County Girls' Canning club are to be furnished with free seed and later when their crop is ready they will be furnished with all cans necessary for putting up tomatoes. The Glynn Canning company will perform this service free of charge.

All of this has been made possible by the three Brunswick banks, which have co-operated in the effort to increase farming acreage in Glynn county. Tomatoes will be planted by most of the girls, as this vegetable can be grown with great success in Glynn county. The board of trade is co-operating with the banks and with the county farm agent in the work.

HOW TO KEEP BABY'S NOSE CLEAN AND GERM-FREE

As young children do not know how to blow the nose, the secretions accumulate, become impure, insanitary, irritating and infected with catarrh germs. These germs are inclined to spread to the throat, tonsils, lungs and internal ear tubes, and often cause tonsilitis, sore throat, adenoids, pneumonia, earache and sometimes deafness.

The nose and throat specialists are now recommending that the mother or nurse keep the child's nose and throat clean and germ-free by rubbing a little eucapine salve up the nostrils for a cold, or putting a little of it on the back of the tongue for sore throat and tonsilitis. For croup and deep-seated coughs eucapine should be rubbed over the throat as well as in the nostrils. This salve is very mild and pleasant so that the children like it and soon learn to call for it by name and use it for themselves when they need it. It contains eucalyptus, the only non-poisonous germicide for catarrh germs, also wintergreen, camphor, menthol, pinus sylvestris and refined petrolatum, all of which are cleansing, soothing and healing. Eucapine salve may now be had at any well-stocked drug store or by mail postpaid for twenty-five cents from the Eucapine Chemical Co., Atlanta, Ga., distributors for the south.—(adv.)

MACON THINKS SHE'S GETTING TOO MUCH RUN-OF-MINE COAL

Macon, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—A vigorous protest against the shipping to Macon of such a large percentage of run-of-the-mine coal for domestic use was forwarded to Dr. Hardman, state fuel administrator, today by J. L. Jesup, fuel administrator for Bibb county. The action was taken at the request of the local coal dealers who have been receiving a storm of protest from their patrons over the inability of the latter to secure lump coal for use in grates.

Of the domestic coal Macon has received this winter less than 15 per cent has been lump, the balance being either run-of-the-mine or steam coal. The dealers claim they are not responsible and have had to take what they could get. They are getting tired of the criticism, however, and urged the local administrator to make a vigorous kick and see if some lump coal cannot be secured.

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BADGERING BAKER.

Let us suppose a case like this:

Two armies are facing each other ready for a battle which will decide the fate of the American nation. For months the American commander has been working night and day studying maps, men, munitions, acquainting himself with all the details with references to his and the enemy's forces, and maturing his plans of operations, when he is suddenly subjected to an examination and "cross-examination" with the view of either discrediting or undoing all that has been done.

The general is taken from his work in the field, his mind distracted from the major task in hand—in order, as Senator James Hamilton Lewis well said in The Constitution—

> "to vindicate the questioners in their constant, private accusations against the war department and to make an effort to prove the questioners' own incorrect statements are true."

The "hearing" must, of course, be held in an open hall filled with people, else the effect from the standpoint of the senators would largely be lost.

"General," demands a senator, "we understand you're about to go into battle. What assurance can you give the country that you will win? How many men have you? How have you got them distributed? How many field pieces, and how much ammunition have you? What facilities have you for getting more when what you have is used? What is your plan of attack? In case it fails, what is your plan plan of defense? If you attack the enemy's right flank and are repulsed, what means have you provided for bringing up reinforcements? Here is a hill between our and the enemy's forces: What is your plan for gaining possession of that hill? After you capture it, how many guns have you with which to hold it? Where will you place those guns? What means of disguise do you propose to use to conceal them from enemy aviators?" etc.

"Gentlemen," protests the general, "I cannot tell you these things without revealing information useful to the enemy, possession of which by the enemy certainly would entail defeat of our army—at any rate, necessitate a complete change of our plans. If you insist, however, upon my answering those questions, at least permit me to answer them in confidence behind closed doors—not in public!"

"Bosh! No!" shouts a senator. "You have no right to withhold information from the people! The men who are to do the fighting are our sons! The people are interested in their welfare perhaps more than you are; and the people have a right to know the truth! Let us have it, and let everybody hear it! I believe in acting in the open and above board! Furthermore (as Senator Weeks said during the 'cross-examination' of Secretary Baker last Wednesday), 'I think there is a good deal of camouflage about keeping information from the enemy.' Out with it!"

Of course, such a proceeding would be ridiculous. But would it be any more ridiculous than the "cross-examination" and badgering to which the United States senate has subjected Secretary Baker?

Contrary to the administration's policy, and to what every sane man knows to be the best interests of the country, he has been compelled to publicly state the number of troops we have in France; the character and amount of their equipment; the status of their training; the sources from which additional supplies and munitions are to be obtained; the means by which they were secretly and most successfully transported from training camps here to camps in France; the number of ships, their details as to their tonnage, etc., available for transportation of additional troops; the number of soldiers, and their classification, the American government expects to have on the firing line in a given length of time; the arrangements that have been made whereby to place them there; the precise number now in training and to be put in training here and abroad; the degree to which they will be trained before they are sent to France; where they are—at which training camps—in America; which units are to be sent first, etc., etc.—all of which, under Mr. Baker's protest, was "dragged out of the secretary," in the language of one of the committeemen, "indirectly, by probing questions," and all done in a large hall filled by a heterogeneous throng of people!

What more information could the kaiser or Von Hindenburg want!

With the senate military affairs committee in action, and the small coterie of leather-lunged senatorial administration critics spouting at will on the floor of the senate, the Prussian autocrats might as well call in their Hun spies from this country, because their work is being well taken care of, and without personal risk to themselves!

The committee forced Mr. Baker, for instance, to announce the administration's purpose with reference to supplying men to General Pershing. Senator Hitchcock thereupon grandiloquently put this question to him:

"You said you expected to have 1,000,000 men in France in 1918. Now, how would you supply them?"

Mr. Baker said he considered that the prospect of forwarding them "was not unpromising."

"Why do you think it is not unpromising?" insisted Hitchcock. And they forced the secretary to divulge the fact that arrangements had been made, or would be made, whereby ship tonnage of "other nations" would be used to make up for any deficiency of our own—a provision which, presumably, **had never occurred to his baiters as a possibility!**

The administration critics might have gone on and pried from Baker the tonnage expected from each country—the **proposed sailing dates and the ocean routes under contemplation**—thus that much the more aiding the kaiser. But those details can be brought out at a subsequent "trial," when, possibly **being fresher, they may be of even more value to the enemy!**

The whole business is a national disgrace, makes for national weakness instead of strength, and it **ought to be stopped right where it is.** Harm enough has been done already; and it is to be hoped the preposterous procedure will be cut short before more injury is done the cause for which the United States has staked its all.

THE BOARD AND PEACHTREE.

The attitude of the county commissioners with reference to the paving of Peachtree Road in Fulton county is satisfactory so far as it goes—but unfortunately it did not go far enough.

Unless its promise of immediate attention materializes, the most traveled highway in the southern states is going to pieces from abject neglect.

At its regular monthly meeting Wednesday the county board listened to arguments by a number of representative citizens of Fulton county, all stressing the importance of immediate action, and seemed tremendously impressed; so much so that every member promised prompt action. Then, when everybody expected action, the board adjourned to take the matter again under consideration at some future time.

With every member of the board outspoken on the subject, and with the assurance of Commissioner Mills, speaking for the board as a whole, that the work of paving the thoroughfare between Buckhead and Brookhaven would be begun inside of three weeks, The Constitution believes that the matter is assuming shape guaranteeing an early call for bids.

And since the weather is daily growing more favorable for road-building, so that the contractors can go ahead under the government contract with the paving of the DeKalb part of the road to Camp Gordon, there is grounds for hope that the completion of the road, from Atlanta to the camp, will not be much longer deferred.

But it is up to the commissioners of Fulton county to ACT, and the sooner they do so the more hearty will be the approval of the whole community.

CARRANZA'S DEFIANCE.

President Carranza, of Mexico, may not realize it, but, under existing circumstances, when he sends "your majesty," the Hun kaiser, "my most cordial congratulations," and expresses his "best wishes for your personal happiness and that of your august family, as well as for the prosperity of this great, friendly nation" (Germany), he is playing with fire.

Nobody can doubt Carranza's motive in sending that message to Berlin.

It was not sent so much to felicitate the kaiser and compliment Germany as **to slap at President Wilson and insult the United States.**

Nobody is fooled by his subtlety; it is plain—the intent and purpose are as clear of understanding as why twice two make four!

Nor is there any doubt that German intrigue prompted the message.

Carranza, perhaps better than any one else in the world, knows what a great debt of gratitude he and the Mexican people owe to the United States.

Carranza knows as well as anyone can know that he owes his tenure in the Mexican presidency to the United States; that it was the United States, and this country alone, that did most to bring order out of chaos at a time when Carranza knew not from one day to the next what moment he would be subjected to the fate of Madero!

And now for that he bites the hand that helped him.

He skirted the brink of an open declaration of hostility as near as he dared.

Now, let him take warning, because just a little more—and the marvelous patience and tolerance of President Wilson and the American people will snap!

JUST FROM GEORGIA

By Frank L. Stanton



Springtime Lady.

Rise up, chillun,—no time ter wait;
Springtime Lady at de gyarden gate!
Long time comin'; whar hez she been?
Springtime Lady, will you please come in?

Singing' an' singin':
"Rose in my han';
Nuther in de gyarden
Fer you, young man!"

Rise up, chillun! De col' rain gone,
Springtime Lady pins de violets on!
Long time comin', an' de goodness knows,
She sweet an' sweeter than de sweetes' rose!

Singin' an' singin':
"Rose in my han';
Nuther in de gyarden
Fer you, young man!"

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This Is the Time!

The Commerce News says that—

"This is the time to civilize, legalize, moralize, dramatize, emphasize, modernize, agonize, sterilize, systemize, fertilize, patronize, realize, theorize, economize, Hooverize and ADVERTISE!"

And with reference to food conservation—"What do we care for these wheatless and meatless days? Take a thin hoe cake, made of good home-made meal, with a sprinkle of salt in it, served hot with home-made butter and milk, and you have a feast fit for a king!"

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"Run, Chillun, Run!"

Alligator on de log,
Sleepin' in de sun,
Gittin' time fer diggin' bait,—
Run, chillun, run!

Lizard hang his blanket out,
Think de winter done,
Bluebird dress in Sunday bes',—
Run, chillun, run.

Hoppergrass come ter de show,
Boun' ter see de fun;
Daddy cut a fishin'pole,—
Run, chillun, run!

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The Charlotte News says that only two alien enemies were registered there on the day given over to that business, the comment of an old negro being that "de citizens is all Angry Saxons."

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The War Menu.

Roy Temple House, of The Kansas City Times, rhymes the war menu:

"Sing a song of johnny cake, graham bread and rye,
Fish and eggs and fowl and fruit, less of cake and pie.
Wheatless, meatless, sweetless meals the kaiser's strength will puncture;
Isn't that the proper thing at just this present juncture?"

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Keeping Up the Fire.

"We have wood-cutting days to burn," says The Adams 'Enterprise; "so we experience no difficulty in keeping up the fire. But with so much to cook, it's sometimes hard to keep a clear, patriotic conscience."

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His Preference.

Ef de devil's in the weather
W'en de win' don't blow,
Ruther feel his fire
Than a country full o' snow!

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Word From Br'er Williams.

De worl' rolls "right side up, with care." It ain't fer me ter worry 'bout whar it's rollin', but ter watch how an' whar I'm steppin'.

LITTLE LOCALS ABOUT THINGS OF CITY INTEREST

Joint damage suits totalling $20,000 were filed yesterday against Georgia Railway and Power company by Reuben R. Arnold, in behalf of Mrs. Shadie Maybelle Estes and Robert H. Estes, parents of 6-year-old Naomi Evelyn Estes, who was killed January 26, in East Point, by a trolley car. The accident occurred as the little girl, with her older sister, Mary, was returning from Hapeville to East Point. While the two were crossing the tracks the trolley car struck Naomi. The mother of the child requests $15,000 in the damage suit, and the father $5,000.

It is probable that many of the alleged automobile thieves who have been indicted by the Fulton county grand jury as a result of the probe into a so-called organized gang of "car snatchers" will be brought before Judge Ben Hill in the criminal division of the Fulton county superior court, which will convene on Monday morning. The well-filled calendar indicates that the first case in line to be tried is that of E. C. Thomas, who is charged with having shot and killed Policeman H. T. Adams and wounding Policeman R. T. Roberts on December 7, 1917. It is said that the officers were attempting to arrest Thomas on a charge of disorderly conduct when the tragedy occurred.

Today's Anniversaries.

1815—The Congress of Vienna determined to abolish slavery.

1817—General Richard S. Ewell, one of the greatest military leaders of the confederate cause, born at Georgetown, D. C. Died at Springfield, Tenn., January 25, 1872.

1828—Jules Verne, the famous writer of "supernatural fiction," born at Nantes, France. Died March 24, 1905.

1840—Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg arrived at Buckingham palace to wed Queen Victoria.

1861—Confederate states congress in session at Montgomery adopted a provisional constitution.

1870—George Peabody, the famous philanthropist, was buried at South Danvers, Mass.

1881—British lost heavily in 12-hour battle with the Boers on the Ingogo river.

1915—Russians broke Austrian defense along the southern Carpathian coast.

1916—German and Turkish consuls and 30 others indicted in San Francisco for alleged conspiracy to wreck munition plants and to furnish supplies to German war vessels.

Today's Events.

Today is the centennial anniversary of the birth of Austin Blair, the "war governor" of Michigan.

Cleveland today will put into operation a card system for the control of the distribution of sugar, flour, flour substitutes and other cereals to the retail trade.

The annual Ivy Ball, the most prominent social event of the year at the University of Pennsylvania, will be given tonight for the benefit of the overseas committee of the emergency aid.

Governor Whitman and Auxiliary Bishop Patrick J. Hayes will assist at the dedication of a service flag of 1500 stars, which is to feature a great ball to be given by the Knights of Columbus in Madison Square Garden tonight.

A country-wide campaign to raise $600,000 to continue the volunteer work which the Boy Scouts of America are doing for the war department and the committee on public information will be conducted during the week beginning today.

"OVER THE TOP"

By Sergeant Arthur Guy Empey

(Continued From Yesterday.)

When I came to, a pretty Red Cross nurse was bending over me, bathing my forehead with cold water, then she left and the ward orderly placed a screen around my bed, and gave me a much-needed bath and clean pajamas. Then the screen was removed and a bowl of steaming soup was given me. It tasted delicious.

Before finishing my soup the nurse came back to ask me my name and number. She put this information down in a little book and then asked:

"Where do you come from?" I answered: "From the big town behind the Statue of Liberty;" upon hearing this she started jumping up and down, clapping her hands and calling out to three nurses across the ward:

"Come here, girls—at last we have got a real live Yankee with us."

They came over and besieged me with questions, until the doctor arrived. Upon learning that I was an American he almost crushed my hand in his grip of welcome. They also were Americans, and were glad to see me.

The doctor very tenderly removed my bandages and told me, after viewing my wounds, that he would have to take me to the operating theater immediately. Personally I didn't care what was done with me.

In a few minutes, four orderlies who looked like undertakers dressed in white, brought a stretcher to my bed and placing me on it carried me out of the ward, across a courtyard to the operating room, or "pictures," as Tommy calls it.

I don't remember having the anaesthetic applied.

When I came to I was again lying in a bed in Munsey ward. One of the nurses had draped a large American flag over the head of the bed, and clasped in my hand a smaller flag, and it made me feel good all over, to again see the "Stars and Stripes."

At that time I wondered when the boys in the trenches would see the emblem of the "land of the free and the home of the brave" beside them, doing their bit in this great war of civilization.

My wounds were very painful, and several times at night I would dream that myriads of khaki-clothed figures would pass my bed and each would stop, bend over me, and whisper, "The best of luck, mate."

Soaked with perspiration I would awake with a cry, and the night nurse would come over and hold my hand. This awakening got to be a habit with me, until that particular nurse was transferred to another ward.

In three weeks' time, owing to the careful treatment received, I was able to sit up and get my bearings. Our ward contained seventy-five patients, ninety per cent of which were surgical cases. At the head of each bed hung a temperature chart and diagnosis sheet. Across this sheet would be written "G. S. W." or "S. W.," the former meaning Gun Shot Wound and the latter Shell Wound. The "S. W." predominated, especially among the Royal Field artillery and Royal engineers.

About forty different regiments were represented and many arguments ensued as to the respective fighting ability of each regiment. The rivalry was wonderful. A Jock arguing with an Irishman, then a strong Cockney accent would butt in in favor of a London regiment. Before long a Welshman, followed by a member of a Yorkshire regiment, and, perhaps, a Canadian, intrude themselves and the argument waxes loud and furious. The patients in the beds start howling for them to settle their dispute outside and the ward is in an uproar. The head sister comes along and with a wave of the hand completely routs the doughty warriors and again silence reigns supreme.

Wednesday and Sunday of each week were visiting days and were looked forward to by the men, because they meant parcels containing fruit, sweets or fags. When a patient had a regular visitor, he was generally kept well supplied with these delicacies. Great jealousy is shown among the men as to their visitors and many word wars ensue after the visitors leave.

When a man is sent to a convalescent home, he generally turns over his steady visitor to the man in the next bed.

Most visitors have autograph albums and bore Tommy to death by asking him to write the particulars of his wounding in same. Several Tommies try to duck this unpleasant job by telling the visitor that he cannot write, but this never faces the owner of the album; he or she, generally she, offers to write it for him and Tommy is stung into telling his experiences.

The questions asked Tommy by visitors would make a clever joke book to a military man.

Some kindly looking old lady will stop at your bed and in a sympathetic voice address you, "You poor boy, wounded by those terrible Germans. You must be suffering frightful pain. A bullet did you say? Well, tell me, I have always wanted to know, did it hurt worse going in or coming out?"

Tommy generally replies that he did not stop to figure out when he was hit.

One very nice-looking, over-enthusiastic thing, stopped at my bed and asked, "What wounded you in the face?"

In a polite but bored tone I answered, "A rifle bullet."

With a look of disdain she passed to the next bed, first ejaculating, "Oh! only a bullet? I thought it was a shell.'" Why she should think a shell wound was more of a distinction beats me. I don't see a whole lot of difference myself.

The American Women's War hospital was a heaven for wounded men. They were allowed every privilege conducive with the rules and military discipline. The only fault was that the men's passes were restricted. To get a pass required an act of Parliament. Tommy tried many tricks to get out, but the commandant, an old Boer war officer, was wise to them all, and it took a new and clever ruse to make him affix his signature to the coveted slip of paper.

As soon as it would get dark many a patient climbed over the wall and went "on his own," regardless of many signs staring him in the face, "Out of bounds for patients." Generally the nurses were looking the other way when one of these night raids started. I hope this information will get none of them into trouble, but I cannot resist the temptation to let the commandant know that occasionally we put it over on him.

One afternoon I received a note, through our underground channel, from my female visitor, asking me to attend a party at her house that night. I answered that she could expect me and to neet me at a certain place on the road well known by all patients, and some visitors, as "Over the wall." I told her I would be on hand at seven-thirty.

About seven-fifteen I sneaked my overcoat and cap out of the ward and hid it in the bushes. Then I told the nurse, a particular friend of mine, that I was going for a walk in the rose garden. She winked and I knew that everything was all right on her end.

Going out of the ward, I slipped into the bushes and made for the wall. It was dark as pitch and I was groping through the underbrush, when suddenly I stepped into space and felt myself rushing downward, a horrible bump and blackness. When I came to, my wounded shoulder was hurting horribly. I was lying against a circular wall of bricks, dripping with moisture, and far away I could hear the trickling of water. I had in the darkness fallen into an old disused well. But why wasn't I wet? According to all rules I should have been drowned. Perhaps I was and didn't know it.

As the shock of my sudden stop gradually wore off, it came to me that I was lying on a ledge and that the least movement on my part would precipitate me to the bottom of the well.

I struck a match. In its faint glare I saw that I was lying in a circular hole about twelve feet deep—the well had been filled in! The dripping I had heard came from a water pipe over on my right.

With my wounded shoulder it was impossible to shinny up the pipe. I could not yell for help, because the rescuer would want to know how the accident happened, and I would be haled before the commandant on charges. I just had to grin and bear it with the forlorn hope that one of the returning night raiders would pass and I could give him our usual signal of "siss-s-s-s," which would bring him to the rescue.

Every half-hour I could hear the clock in the village strike, each stroke bringing forth a muffled volley of curses on the man who had dug the well.

After two hours, I heard two men talking in low voices. I recognized Corporal Cook, an ardent "night raider." He heard my "siss-s-s-s" and came to the edge of the hole. I explained my predicament and amid a lot of impertinent remarks, which at the time I did not resent, I was soon fished out.

Taking off our boots we sneaked into the ward. I was sitting on my bed in the dark, just starting to undress, when the man next to me, "Ginger" Phillips, whispered, "'Op it, Yank, 'ere comes the matron."

I immediately got under the covers and feigned sleep. The matron stood talking in low tones to the night nurse and I fell asleep.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

Seen and Heard in Washington

BY JAMES A. HOLLOMON

Staff Correspondent of The Atlanta Constitution.

Washington, February 7.—(Special.)—That United States Senator Hardwick, of Georgia, who is a member of the senate committee on postoffices and postroads, should use his position on that committee to further his political interests back home; or that he should take advantage of the time-honored senatorial courtesy which gives a committeeman the authority, if he should so elect, to block the confirmation of a presidential appointment to a postoffice in his state, in order to connect, if possible, the links of his own broken political chain, is inconceivable to any fair-minded citizen.

It is "petty politics" to a degree that one would expect a United States senator, certainly, to measure up to a higher standard. But Senator Hardwick, apparently, doesn't measure up to that standard. On the contrary what I shall relate measures him down to a level that is unenviable even from the rawest recruit in ward-heeling.

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How Postmasters Are Selected.

The appointment of postmasters in the smaller presidential offices in the congressional districts is left entirely with the representatives in the house—the congressmen. For instance, if Representative Crisp, of the third Georgia district, should suggest to the president the nomination of some citizen as postmaster in a town in the third district, and the nomination should go to the senate, the matter of confirmation is absolutely assured unless there are charges preferred which affect the appointee's honor, or integrity, or political loyalty, etc., and if such charges are preferred they are threshed out in all fairness to the individual thus placed under ban. For a senator on the committee charged with a "report" on the confirmation to hold up the confirmation for any motive of selfish politics, is unbelievable.

Such a charge would be an indictment that would be resented with all the fervor and indignation of this great and deliberative body. And for a senator on the committee to arrest a confirmation, or to temporize with such an appointment while speculating as to the political affiliations of the appointee as affecting his own political fortunes—that is the final straw.

Now, here's what happened—

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An Illuminating Incident.

A member of congress recently named two or three postmasters at small presidential offices in his congressional district. The president sent the nominations to the senate. Being Georgia nominations and Senator Hardwick, of Georgia, being a member of the committee, of course the appointments would go through for speedy confirmation if Senator Hardwick interposed no objection. Under time-honored usage he was not supposed to interpose an objection unless the appointees should be morally or mentally objectionable. The representative from the district knew his men, or he would not have appointed them.

All right—

The Georgia congressman in question dropped a letter to Senator Hardwick, as a matter of courtesy, recounted the fact that these nominations had gone in, and explained that the nominees were his personal friends, and he hoped the senator would have them reported for confirmation at the earliest convenience, and so on. He thought no more of the matter.

What happened?

In a day or two a letter came back to the congressman from Senator Hardwick in which the senator acknowledged receipt of the letter, noted that the appointees in question were the congressman's friends, and significantly suggested that the point of importance to him in the situation was not whether these appointees were friends of the congressman in question, but whether they were **his (Hardwick's) friends.** I do not quote the senator's letter, but this is the substance, mildly expressed. The significance is open to every intelligent mind; comment is unnecessary.

So—

What do you think of that?

One Year Ago Today in War.

British continued vigorous offensive toward Bapaume, on Somme front.

Sweden rejected President Wilson's suggestion that all neutral nations break with Germany.

HEALTH TALKS

BY WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

HOW TO BE HEALTHY THOUGH HAPPY.

A number of readers request us to give some brief advice about the way to avoid Bright's disease and hardening of the arteries.

A number of readers wish to know how they may train the vaso-motor nervous system so that they will not be so sensitive to drafts, wet feet and other such mollycoddleisms.

A number of readers have been watching for a long time for some pointers on the way to escape the ill consequences of auto-intoxication.

In short, everybody wants to know how to be healthy though sane.

A man rushed up to a group of his friends and told them some startling news. They were skeptical. "See here, no fooling," one of them demanded, "how do we know whether that is so?" But the man convinced them by his answer:

"Why, ain't I just been tellin' you!"

There may be some ground for the suspicion that these talks are mere fillers, or that they are propaganda for the noblest profession on earth. But my own notion is that their purpose—mind, I say only purpose—is to help folks to avoid Bright's disease, respiratory disease, autointoxication, arterial hardening, cardiovascular degeneration and the almanac.

One of the sad features of medicinal science is that there are no sure cures. A doctor hates to admit this. It took me ten years to even realize it. But there is no such thing under heaven as a sure cure. There is no set of rules we can put in print that would meet the requirements of the readers who ask these sweeping questions.

The way to prevent all these popular ailments is to live the hygienic life. Study personal hygiene. Take what any "authority" says, and chew it over before you assimilate it. Make sure it is the pure stuff. As an amateur you won't be much of a judge of the soundness of health advice, but as you pursue the study you pick up a little point here and there until you find you've got quite a respectable little bunch of scientific data stowed away in your head. Then pretty soon you'll be able to assay this health stuff and select the pure goed and reject the spurious material.

The prevention of the troubles our readers have asked about, and the management of such troubles when you have already acquired them, both demand knowledge of personal hygiene. Until you have enough of that knowledge you had better rely upon the management of an expert.

Such, for instance, as the modern family doctor.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Crowning Ulcerated Teeth.

I would like to know if having teeth crowned when ulcerated will injure the health. I had mine crowned some time ago, and have been feeling poorly ever since, besides having much trouble with the teeth that were crowned. (W. S. B.).

ANSWER—"Ulcerated tooth" means abscess at the root of the tooth. If such a condition prevailed, no competent dentist would have crowned the teeth before overcoming the infection. Better try a real dentist.

Dora Doon Detests Her Double Chin.

Will you kindly tell me what I can do for a double chin? Is a chin supporter dangerous to wear? (Dora Doon.")

ANSWER—Regular exercise, say two miles of walking at least twice each day, Dora, and soon the chin will be self-supporting.

Dr. Brady will answer all signed letters pertaining to health. Writers' names are never printed. Only inquiries of general interest are answered in this column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamped, self-addressed envelope is inclosed. Requests for diagnosis or treatment of individual cases cannot be considered. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of The Constitution.

Court of Appeals of Georgia.

Judgments Affirmed.

Mayor and Council of Unadilla v. Felder; from Dooly superior court—Judge George. Jule Felton, J. C. Jones, for plaintiff in error. Powell & Lumsden, J. T. Hill, contra.

Alexander v. City of Atlanta; from Fulton superior court—Judge Ellis. R. B. Blackburn, for plaintiff in error. J. L. Mayson, S. D. Hewlett, contra.

Finch v. Southern Railway Company; from Polk superior court—Judge Bartlett. Mundy & Mundy, W. W. Mundy, for plaintiff in error. Maddox, McCamy & Shumate, Bunn & Trawick, Irwin & Tison, contra.

Fulford et al. v. Downs; from Wrightsville city court—Judge Blount. W. C. Brinson, Moye & Shurling, for plaintiff in error.

Almand and McElroy v. Board of Drainage Commissioners; from Gwinnett superior court—Judge Hardeman. L. B. Norton, J. T. Moore, E. J. Reagan, for plaintiffs in error. I. L. Oakes, contra.

Herring v. Southern States Phosphate and Fertilizer Company; from Bainbridge city court—Judge Spooner. T. S. Hawes, for plaintiff in error. Hartsfield & Conger, William H. Fleming, contra.

Jowers et al. v. Kirkpatrick Hardware Company; from Marion superior court—Judge Howard. W. B. Short, W. D. Crawford, for plaintiffs in error.

Judgments Reversed.

Vickery et al. v. Morehead; from Hart superior court—Judge Worley. A. G. & Julian McCurry, J. H. & Parke Skelton, for plaintiff in error. A. A. McCurry contra.

DeBow v. Vicksburg, Shreveport and Pacific Railway Company; from Fulton superior court—Judge Bell. Atkinson & Born, for plaintiff in error. Anderson & Rountree, R. W. Crenshaw, contra.

Western Union Telegraph Company v. Manson; from McIntosh superior court—Judge Sheppard. William L. Clay, for plaintiff in error. Charles M. Tyson, Hitch & Denmark, contra.

Smith et al. v. Downing Company; from Evans superior court—Judge Sheppard. W. T. Burkhalter, for plaintiffs in error. C. B. Conyers, W. G. Warnell, B. J. Conyers, contra.

Truxworth v. Barber; from DeKalb superior court—Judge Smith. J. B. Stewart, for plaintiff in error. T. H. Scott, W. P. Coles, contra.

Mayor and Aldermen of Savannah v. Wade; from Chatham superior court—Judge Meldrim. Robert J. Travis, David S. Atkinson, for plaintiff in error. Osborne, Lawrence & Abrahams, contra.

Knowles v. Stewart; from Bacon superior court—Judge Summerall. Chastain & Henson, for plaintiff in error. Levi O'Steen, contra.

Dismissed.

Travelers' Insurance Company v. Callaway, administrator; from Atlanta city court—Judge Reid. Smith, Hammond & Smith, for plaintiff in error. Robert C. & Philip H. Alston, H. E. Riddell, contra.

"In the Day's News."

Rear Admiral Spencer S. Wood, U. S. N., who has been assigned to the command of the First Naval district, with headquarters at the Boston navy yard, is an officer of long and varied experience in the navy. He is a native of New York and a graduate of Annapolis in the class of 1882. During the war with Spain he commanded the torpedo boat Dupont and was an important witness in the Schley court of inquiry held in Washington in 1901. From 1904 to 1908 he served as aid to Admiral Dewey. In recent years he has been in command of the armored cruiser New York and the battleships Nebraska and Oklahoma.

SMILEAGE BOOKS HAVE LARGE SALE

One Subscription for $1,000 Is Reported Thursday, and Hundreds of Smaller Ones Are Received During Day.

With every Atlanta man and woman who has so far been approached responding enthusiastically to the cause of "smiles for soldiers," the three armies of the Atlanta Rotary club start out again this morning on their second and last day's drive to sell smileage books for the boys in khaki.

At the close of the first day of the two-day campaign yesterday, Alberts Adams, general chairman, announced that the sales had been splendid, the response wonderful, although no exact figures were obtained. There was one individual subscription for $1,000 worth of smileage books, the name of the purchaser kept secret, and hundreds and hundreds of other subscriptions.

Nobody Refuses to Buy.

The captains of the three armies, W. M. Brownlee, James D. Fitch and Fred Housre, declared that nobody refused to buy, once he understood that the smileage books would mean many happy hours to lonely lads in the training camps. They expressed the opinion that by Friday night Atlanta will have done her part toward the task of financing the theatrical attractions to which the smileake book coupons gain admittance for the soldiers.

All Rotarians are asked to meet at 9 o'clock this morning on the ninth floor of the Piedmont hotel before beginning the day's campaign. They will receive additional instructions and advice.

During the day Thursday Mr. Adams was visited by Chaplain W. C. Cowart, of the 328th infantry, Camp Gordon, who offered to distribute among the soldiers all smileage books that are sent to him. His regiment at the camp is located near the Liberty theater.

"There are thousands of chaps at Camp Gordon, blue and homesick, to whom these smileage books will be a god-send," said Chaplain Cowart. "In addition to that, many of them are fellows whom it is hard to get acquainted with, but if I approach them with a smileage book in my hand, they'll warm up right away. I'll be glad to see that all books sent to me go where they will do the most good."

Will Forward Books.

Mr. Adams wished to emphasize the point that anybody who is not solicited to buy a smileage book may get one by sending his name, the name of the soldier for whom the book is intended, his address and the money for the book to Mr. Adams' office in the Grant building. Mr. Adams will agree to send the books forward at once, if a three-cent stamp is sent along with the money. The books cost $1 for the smaller size and $5 for the larger. There is no difference in the two except that one contains more theater coupons than the other. On the cover of each book will be written the name of the soldier and the name of the sender.

Smileage books are on sale in Atlanta at Jacobs' pharmacies, Cone's drug stores, Nunnally's, Tom Pitts, Franklin & Cox, the Liggett stores, Oppenheim's, the Ansley, Piedmont and the Georgian Terrace.

CHAPLAINS OFFER HELP IN DISTRIBUTING BOOKS

Several of the chaplains stationed at Camp Gordon who attended the round table luncheon of the Atlanta commission on training camp activities Thursday offered their services in the distribution of smileage books to the men in camp.

Residents of Atlanta who desire to purchase smileage books to give the boys in khaki some pleasure, and yet who do not know any soldiers in camp personally, are asked to send them to the chaplains of any of the regiments at Camp Gordon and they will be distributed fairly.

At the same meeting it was suggested by the new camp librarian, Adam Strong, that a large number of scrapbooks be made by the ladies of the city for use at the camp.

Mrs. H. H. McCall, of the Georgia D. A. R.'s, who was present, reported that many hundred of scrapbooks had already been made by the ladies of her organization and that they would undertake to supply the librarian's needs as far as possible.

John W. Ham, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle, was present and informed the commission that the various organizations of his church had under advisement the best way in which the church building and the various organizations could best serve the soldiers with entertainments, and that a definite announcement would be forthcoming inside the week.

Further plans for the monster Washington's birthday celebration at the Auditorium-Armory were announced by Mrs. B. M. Boykin, chairman of the woman's committee.

D. Porreca, chairman of the Italian Progressive club, spoke of the work being done for the Italians in camp and also read a poem relative to the commission's work, which was highly appreciated.

Standardize Glynn Roads.

Brunswick, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—The commissioners of roads and revenues have decided to standardize the roads of the county, making all roads of equal width. The commissioners have agreed to begin at once on the narrow roads and all of them will be made 16 feet wide.

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ATLANTAN HELPING CARE FOR SOLDIERS ON BOARD TUSCANIA

It became the lot of a former Atlantan to aid in the work of caring for the survivors of the transport Tuscania, sunk by a German submarine.

He is Guy H. Hitch, American vice consul at Belfast, Ireland, and the son of Calvin Hitch, American consul at Nottingham, England. Dispatches received in Atlanta Thursday state that the Belfast consulate is in active charge of the welfare of 600 of the survivors who were landed at Larne, Ireland, after the sinking of the transport.

Mr. Hitch and his father are both popular in Atlanta. His father was well known in political circles and served as executive secretary to Senator Hoke Smith during one of his terms as governor.

POLICE NOW SEARCHING FOR 131 REGISTERED MEN

Board No. 3 Submits List of Delinquents in Answering Questionnaires.

Local exemption board No. 3 has turned over to Chief of Police James L. Beavers a list of 131 registered men who have failed to file their questionnaires with the board and who are therefore classed as delinquents. Chief Beavers is asked to use his best efforts to locate these men and report results of his investigation to the board within a specified time.

Of the 131 men listed, 67 are white and 64 colored.

The names of these men, together with their last known addresses, follow:

William Henry Brads (col.), 7 Crew street alley.
Melvin F. Stowers, 53 Park avenue.
Albert Owens, 74 Carroll street.
John Sidin (col.), 219 Connally street.
Harrison Barnes, 275 E. Hunter street.
Robert Lattimer, 347 Richardson street.
Cleveland Smith, 160 Clark street.
Russell Roy, 117 Fraser street.
Henry Hurd, 95 Fraser street (rear).
John Wesley Hunt, 423 Richardson street.
Havin Daniel, 1 Crew street (alley).
Charlie L. Ivey, 60-B Wyman street.
James Robert Davis, 292 Waldo street.
Benson Thomas (col.), 168 Fraser street.
Mack Swanacey, Lyman street.
Captain Robinson (col.), 85 Terry street.
Henry H. Smith, 15 Grand avenue.
Ed F. Holcomb, 76 George street.
Horace Middlebrooks, rear 187 E. Fair St.
Carlo Cook, 30 Berean avenue.
John Anderson (col.), rear 287 Woodward avenue.
Jerome Griffin, 183-A Fraser street.
Henry Pinckney, 99 Fraser street.
Victor Clark (col.), 50 Grady street.
Alonzo Lee Johnson, 248 South avenue.
Clyde B. Dunson, 867 Grant street.
Henry Nesbit (col.), 25 Martin (rear).
Willie Weston (col.), 32 Richmond street.
Clark Harris, Ormewood avenue.
Abe Perkins (col.), 125 E. Hunter street.
Lovelace Hickson (col.), 221 E. Fair street.
Andrew McCray (col.), 28 Brandon street.
O. C. Hendrix (col.), 201 Clark street.
Tandy Burks (col.), 81 Violet street.
Sam Lee (col.), 142 Fraser street.
George Bell (col.), 20 E. Fair street.
Willie J. Johnson, 680 E. Fair street.
Elton Emanuel (col.), 61 Bates avenue.
Hiram T. Todd, 100 Capitol avenue.
John Jackson, 60 George street.
Kirby Smith, 342 Rawson street.
Frank Grady Shumate, 52 Wyman street.
Henry Christopher Parham, 270 Gulton St.
Ben Schafferman, Zurich, Switzerland.
Alonzo Price, Locust Grove, Ga.
Walter Battles, 385 Woodward avenue.
Ed Leonard, 2 Connally street.
Sanford W. Vandiver, Hill street.
George Spivey (col.), 115 Haygood street.
George Williams, 119 Terry street.
Henry Lawrence, 257 Fraser street.
James Hill (col.), 88 Reed street.
John Perrin, 40 Rawson street.
Oscar Sims, 14 S. Boulevard.
Will Dunlap (col.), 26-A Fraser street.
Edward Anderson Lyle, 363 Whitefoord Ave.
Will Nolan, 69 Hard street.
Joseph Walker (col.), 145 Garden street.
Ernest James Hoge, 392 Ormond street.
Claud Thompson, 28 Savannah street.
John W. Hines (col.), 175 S. Pryor street.
Jim Blunt (col.), 9 Crew street.
Charlie Lee (col.), rear 136 Washington St.
John Cater, 349 Fulton street.
Eddie Price (col.), 407 Washington street.
Sam Thomas (col.), rear 276 Woodward Av.
William Allen Gipson, 61 Wyman street.
Elbinus South (col.), rear 134 Fraser St.
Reford Hightower (col.), 137 Fraser St.
Will Gilbert (col.), 8 Rawson street.
Cleo Grissom (col.), rear 139 Washington street.
Romeo Blake (col.), 301 Fraser street.
Charles Backers, 52 Wyman street.
J. B. Morrison (col.), 11 Richardson St.
Richard Henderson (col.), rear 76 Martin street.
Abner Strozier (col.), 34 Grant street.
Carlisle Boynton, 8 Cornelia street.
Charles William Bullock, 173 Fraser street.
Caesar Gentili, 301 Georgia avenue.
Edward Everett Peasice, 35 Pickert St.
Herbert Whitehead, 477 E. Fair street.
Carl Laster (col.), 25 Oakland.
Casy Willingham (col.), 6 Grady place.
William Henry Hammond, 661 E. Fair St.
Fulton David Donovan, 162 S. Boulevard.
Eliza Watson (col.), 113 Fraser street.
Ed Haynes (col.), 268 Fraser street.
Irwin Hobbs (col.), 24-A Reed street.
Will Harper (col.), 842 Rawson street.
Neal Milner (col.), 43 Glenwood avenue.
Dock Greene, 50 Powell street.
Willie Thomas, 576 Glenn street.
Fletcher Hattens (col.), 152-B Connally St.
Osee Young (col.), 12 Craven street.
Horace Dargin Stillman, 229 R. street, northeast, Washington, D. C.
Jerry Bryant (col.), McDonough road.
Luther Tate (col.), 90 Solomon street.
Fletcher Crumley (col.), 238 Confederate avenue.
Rogers H. Wright (col.), rear 58 Bass St.
Glin Dyer (col.), 32 Reed street.
Homer Cooper (col.), 212 Clark street.
Tom Hubert Trotter, 94 Richmond street.
Charles William Hillburn, 91-B Carroll St.
Charley Render, 1 Odd Fellow place.
Benjamin Harrison David or Daird (col.), 64 Love street.
Claud Whitaker, 66 Berean avenue.
E. Muctolah (col.), 11-B Martin street.
Charley Hammond (col.), 12 Fraser street.
George Hinds (col.), 92 Fraser street.
Robert L. Browning, 55 Mauldin street.
Clarence Kelley (col.), Clark street.
Charles A. White, 97 Capitol Square.
Henry James (col.), 90 Coleman street.
John Spain, 35 Gaskill street.
Will Fenns (col.), 177 S. Jackson St.
Joe Lee Jackson (col.), 72 Coleman St.
Jack Higgins (col.), 97 Haygood St.
Tom Moses Leonard, 26 Fulton Terrace.
Ben Moore (col.), rear 128 Capitol avenue.
Fred Bayne, 9 Iswald street.
Edgar Young (col.), 250 Fulton street.
Herbert Stephens Hilburton, 53 Wyman St.
Linton Stephen Woodward, 316 Capitol Av.
Jessie Daniel (col.), 142 Fraser street.
John Towns (col.), 56 Fraser street.
John Hawkins (col.), 41 Rawson street.
Arthur Nesbit (col.), care Fero Contractor company, Fairmont, W. V.
George Roden, 9 Etowah street.
Middleton Echols, 43 Hill street.
Fred Carter (col.), 35 Reed street.
Charles Johnston, Jr., 97 Fraser street.

ATLANTA-TO-CAMP ROAD CONDITIONS WILL BE DISCUSSED

The meeting of the public safety committee of the chamber of commerce, which was scheduled for Thursday morning, was postponed to Friday morning at 10 o'clock by Chairman Frederic J. Paxon. The object of this meeting will be to decide upon some action which will remedy the terrible condition of the roads between Atlanta and Camp Gordon.

FREE ENTERTAINMENT AT CENTRAL BAPTIST

Central Baptist church will give an evening of free entertainment tonight, in honor of William D. Upshaw, one of its members. The National Patriotic quartet will sing and several prominent men will tell stories. The public is invited. The program begins at 7:30.

WILL URGE NEW LAWS TO STOP AUTO THEFTS

Auto Men Will Confer With Solicitor Boykin in Effort to End Persistent Crimes.

New and more stringent laws, with a view to putting an end to a series of automobile thefts that have been so prevalent in Atlanta during the past year, will be discussed today at a conference which is to be held between Solicitor John A. Boykin and representative automobile men at the Piedmont hotel.

It was also announced Thursday by members of the executive committee of the Georgia State Chamber of Commerce that they will volunteer their services to the city and county police, to help in the fight that is being waged against the alleged auto thieves.

Another important meeting that will affect the present campaign against the alleged gang, is a conference which is to be held at the Ansley hotel today, between a committee composed of Police Chief Beavers, County Police Chief Mathieson, and auto insurance agents.

At the same time the Fulton county grand jury will resume its probe of the alleged organized gang of automobile thieves, which has already resulted in a number of indictments, and which, according to Solicitor Boykin, will result in further sensational developments, are expected.

It was understood that among the laws to be discussed at the meeting between Solicitor Boykin and the automobile representatives will be one making it a federal offense for a thief to carry an automobile from one state to another, and providing a heavy penalty as punishment.

Another of the proposed laws provides that no space for garages can be procured without first securing permission from the police, while yet another of the restrictions regarding the selling of second-hand automobiles will prohibit transaction of this nature without reporting the purchase, time and place of sale to the police.

Solicitor Boykin and prominent auto men have agreed that the continued loss of automobiles through thieves has become so alarming that the most drastic measures are necessary to stop it.

Ten new indictments on charges of automobile stealing were drawn in the solicitor's office yesterday, and will be presented to the grand jury this morning.

State Rolls Up Fund For "Y" Training School At Black Mountain, N. C.

Pledges are coming in from all over the state in the campaign to raise $25,000 for the Blue Ridge Training School for Y. M. C. A. Secretaries, at Black Mountain, N. C. Malcolm Lockhart, who is conducting this campaign, said Thursday that in the day's mail he had received $200 in pledges from Dalton and $300 from LaGrange.

Interest in Atlanta will be developed Sunday when ten out of the eighteen secretaries at Camp Gordon who received their training at the Blue Ridge association, will each be sent to different men's Bible classes to explain the cause and ask each class to subscribe one or more shares of $50.

RED CROSS CHAPTER FORMED AT ELLIJAY

Mrs. Charles T. Fuller, chief field director of the Southern Division, American Red Cross, who has special jurisdiction over northwest Georgia, returned to Atlanta Wednesday after organizing a new Red Cross chapter in Elijay. The new chapter will be known as the Gilmer County Chapter, and Mrs. Fuller reports that unusual interest and enthusiasm was shown at the organization meeting. Mrs. Fuller left Thursday night to organize another chapter at Palmetto, which will leave very few counties in the southern division unorganized.

VICTORY GARDEN PICTURES WANTED BY GEORGIA TOWNS

L. C. Jennings, who is prominently connected with the Victory Garden campaign in Atlanta, has received requests by wire from several Georgia towns and from Columbia, S. C., that he send for exhibition in those towns the moving picture film shown here Monday night at a meeting of the Atlanta Telephone and Telegraph society. These films are owned and loaned by the International Harvester company, of Chicago, and give a pictorial history of the war garden in that city last winter.

It is probable that not only will the request of these towns be granted, but that other cities will be given an opportunity to see these instructive pictures.

The committee appointed at a meeting of the Telephone and Telegraph society last Monday to secure garden plots for members who have no back yard space is already in receipt of an offer of a fourteen-acre tract within the city limits. It is loaned by a prominent social worker of Atlanta, whose name is withheld.

MEN ARE NOW NEEDED FOR REMOUNT STATION

Of particular interest to married men who want to enlist in some branch of the army that will not take them abroad and away from their family, is the call for twenty men for the remount station at Camp Gordon, issued Thursday by Captain Charles Famel, in charge of the army recruiting station.

Men experienced in handling horses are wanted for this service. The remount station will probably be stationed permanently at Camp Gordon, and should be particularly attractive to a married man who wants to stay near his home.

Another organization which is urgently in need of men is the Thirty-seventh Engineers, national army. This is a regiment of picked electrical and mechanical men which is being organized for immediate service abroad. Electricians of all kinds; engineers, including oil, gasoline, steam pumping and electric engineers; sheet metal workers, plumbers, carpenters, chauffeurs, handymen, and mechanics of various kinds are wanted for this regiment. All these are going to be first-class men, especially picked for their experience. The work will be construction of power houses, transmission lines, installation of electrical equipment in shops, etc., and the maintenance of same. Men qualified as above should apply to local recruiting office in the postoffice building.

Eleven men were accepted Wednesday and forwarded to depots for enlistment and assignment, as follows:

Aviation Section, Signal Corps—Grafton W. Gardner, Atlanta, Ga.; Daniel J. Nunn, Macon, Ga.; Eugene C. Thrailkill, Macon, Georgia.

M. S. W. Cavalry, Regular Army—Johnnie O. Swain, Oak Knoll, Fla.; John W. Ray, Jr., Atlanta, Ga.

Colored men as follows: Field signal battalion, 92d division, Arthur Jackson, Atlanta, Ga.

Stevedore Regiment, Q. M. C., National Army—Isaac Burgess, Moultrie, Ga.

Remount Service, Q. M. C., National Army—Ralph E. Roberson, Bainbridge, Ga.; William D. Wilson, Rome, Ga.; Claude R. Payne, Rome, Ga.

37th Engineers, National Army—Edward Armstrong, Toledo, Ohio.

BURGLARS ROB GROCERY STORE BY WAGONLOAD

Burglars entered the store of W. B. Ingraham at 294 Woodward avenue Wednesday night and most of the fixtures, including a heavy brass lamp, the cash drawer and a tobacco cutter, besides several safety razors and blades, a few fancy groceries and a lost of heavy groceries, were found missing Thursday morning, according to a report made to the police. It is thought by the police that the work is that of a gang and that the loot was hauled away in a wagon.

Explosion Victim to Recover.

J. L. Allen, 167 Crew street, who was badly burned about the face and arms by an explosion on Wednesday morning, is improving and will most likely recover, according to the report of physicians at Grady hospital on Thursday.



February Clothing

We have recently received a shipment of very attractive Suits and Overcoats in standard models and just the proper weights for February buying—

These garments represent the best values at moderate prices—

Neat, conservative patterns and shades—and fabrics unusually good.

Parks-Chambers-Hardwick Company
37-39 Peachtree Atlanta, Ga.

WILL ORGANIZE TODAY FOR RECRUITING WORK

Fulton Council of Defense to Plan Ship Workers' Enlistment.

ASKS GEORGIA'S AID.

The Constitution Thursday night received a telegram from Chairman Edward W. Hurley, of the United States shipping board, urging that the people of Georgia aid in every way possible in the campaign to secure 250,000 United States shipyard volunteers. Chairman Hurley stressed the importance of getting these men in order that the war shipbuilding program of the nation may be expedited and the end of the war hastened.

Edgar Watkins, chairman of the Fulton County Unit, Council of Defense, calls a meeting of the local unit this morning at 11 o'clock, room 203 Chamber of Commerce building.

The central committee includes Edgar Watkins, chairman; J. C. Wardlaw, Mrs. C. J. Haden, John S. Cohen, Clark Howell, W. G. Bryan.

The purpose of the meeting is to plan organization in Fulton county and immediate work in the United States Public Service Reserve, called upon now to aid in securing labor for United States shipbuilding.

Applications for membership in the reserves must be made to the Defense chairman in each county. The work in Fulton county is planned to begin Monday morning.

Mr. Watkins also stated on Thursday that J. C. Weaver, director for Georgia in this work of obtaining ship workers, has asked the Fulton county unit, Council of Defense, to immediately aid in this recruiting work. He therefore adds that anyone wishing to register at once as a shipyard worker can do so by calling at his office at 502 Fourth National Bank building and stating his name, address, age and experience.

THRIFT STAMP MEETING AT STONE MOUNTAIN

Stone Mountain, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—At a public mass meeting in the school auditorium here today, addressed by United States District Attorney Hooper Alexander, Charles D. McKinney, chairman of the DeKalb county thrift stamp campaign committee, and others, the children of Stone Mountain were organized to enter a contest against other small towns of the state in the sale of stamps.

The Rev. E. G. Thomason, the local Methodist minister, and Mayor Ralph McClelland made introductory speeches. Much enthusiasm for the thrift stamp campaign here was developed at the meeting. Stone Mountain already has bought $2,000 worth of thrift stamps.

LANIER UNIVERSITY INDORSED BY HEAD OF ATLANTA ROTARY

The Lanier university plans, recently announced, which calls for a plant valued at $250,000 on a beautiful campus in Druid Hills, have received the enthusiastic indorsement of the Rotary Club of Atlanta.

The Ad Men are arranging to furnish a team of twelve men to take part in the campaign to raise the required $250,000 which will begin on February 21. This team will be a part of a great organization composed of over one hundred leading business and professional men of Atlanta who will institute a ten-day canvass of the city to secure the necessary funds.

Work of organizing the committees to handle the campaign are going forward rapidly. Quarters have been established in the Ansley hotel from which to carry forward the work.

CANDLER TO ADDRESS PALESTINE MEETING

Great Interest Shown in Service to Commemorate the British Declaration.

Mayor Asa G. Candler has accepted the invitation of the four Atlanta synagogues and fourteen additional Jewish organizations of the city to deliver the address of welcome at the Thanksgiving meeting to be held on the night of Sunday, February 17, to commemorate the British declaration in favor of a Jewish homeland in Palestine.

Through the co-operation of Hugh Cardoza and Jake Wells the local committee on Wednesday secured the Forsyth theater for the night of February 17. The public is invited to this meeting.

Tickets will be distributed free of charge to all desiring to attend, at places centrally located, and in this way the committee expects to gauge whether or not an overflow meeting place should be provided.

UNITARIANS TO HELP RED CROSS WOOL FUND

The Unitarian church, 301 West Peachtree street, will take a special collection at church services Sunday, for the Red Cross. The proceeds will be donated to the wool fund.

A vesper service will be held for soldiers at 5 o'clock. Beautiful music by organist and choir and a short talk on the Red Cross by the pastor, Rev. Walter Samuel Swisher, will feature the service.

PLANS CONSIDERED FOR NEW SCHOOLS

Plans Will Be Drawn for Three 12-Room Buildings and Submitted to Board at Next Meeting.

At an informal meeting held Thursday afternoon by the finance committee of the board of education of Atlanta, it was decided to have plans drawn for three new twelve-room school buildings, which will be submitted to the board of education at its next regular meeting, with the recommendation that they be erected in time for occupancy next term.

A new building of twelve rooms will be provided for on the Spring street lot purchased some time ago by the board of education, which will serve the eighth ward. A new building of the same number of rooms will be planned for on the present school building site in Oakland City, and a building of the same size will be asked for on Moreland avenue, to serve the Inman Park section of the city.

The plans for the three buildings will be drawn at once, and will be submitted to the board of education at an early meeting in an effort to have them approved and the buildings erected before the time for the fall term to open in 1918.

Atlanta Death Rate Lower Than Any City In South Last Week

Atlanta's mortality rate was lower than that of any other city in the south last week, as shown by vital statistic reports. However, the number of deaths is still above the average of recent years. Last week only 79 deaths were recorded in the city, while the week before there were 94, and the week prior to that 107.

Deaths per 1,000 of estimated population in southern cities last week were: Atlanta, 21; Birmingham, 25.3; Memphis, 27.8; Nashville, 22; Louisville, 21.4; New Orleans, 28.8; Richmond, 21.4; Baltimore, 25.3, and Washington, 23.5.

Rotarians Meet Today.

All members of the Atlanta Rotary club are asked to meet at 9 o'clock this morning on the ninth floor of the Piedmont hotel, to receive final instructions before starting on the last day of their two days' drive to sell smilage books for soldiers. The call for the meeting has been issued by the general chairman of the campaign, Albert S. Adams.



Special Money-Saving Prices On All Our

Brass Andirons, Brass Fenders, Brass Fire Sets, Wrought Iron Andirons and Fire Sets

This is a sale that is a matter of great interest to every housekeeper. These goods are going to cost more next fall, and they have this winter, which makes these special prices doubly attractive at this time. Note a few of the values below:

Brass Andirons

Stock No.	Reg. Price	This Sale
No. 716	$ 5.50	$ 4.12
No. 765	6.50	4.88
No. 766	7.50	5.62
No. 764	8.50	6.38
No. 666½	9.00	6.75
No. 183	10.00	7.50
No. 768	11.00	8.25
No. 778½	12.50	9.38
No. 686	15.00	11.25
No. 246	17.50	13.12
No. 848	35.00	26.25
No. 236	75.00	56.25

Wrought Iron Andirons

Stock No.	Reg. Price	This Sale
No. 1967	$ 3.00	$ 2.25
No. 1990	4.50	3.38
No. 1921	6.00	4.50
No. 1956	11.50	8.62
No. 1917B	12.50	9.38
No. 1987	17.50	13.12

Brass Coal Hods and Vases

Stock No.	Reg. Price	This Sale
No. 217 Hod	$13.50	$10.12
No. 330 Vase	17.50	13.12
No. 305 Vase	20.00	15.00

Brass Fire Sets

Stock No.	Reg. Price	This Sale
No. 26	$ 7.50	$ 5.62
No. 161	10.00	7.50
No. 204	11.00	8.25
No. 10	12.50	9.38
No. 126	18.50	13.88
No. 288	30.00	22.50

Brass Fenders

Stock No.	Reg. Price	This Sale
No. 1	$10.00	$ 7.50
No. 2	12.00	9.00
No. 3	14.00	10.50
No. 64	20.00	15.00
No. 65	22.00	16.50
No. 16	25.00	18.75

Wrought Iron Fire Sets

Stock No.	Reg. Price	This Sale
No. 847	$ 4.50	$ 3.38
No. 844	7.50	5.62
No. 851	8.00	6.00
No. 854	8.50	6.38
No. 872	10.00	7.50

Portable Grates

No. and Size	Reg. Price	This Sale
No. 65—22-in.	$ 3.00	$ 2.20
Atlanta—20-in.	4.50	3.38
1574—24-in.	7.50	5.62
1575—27-in.	9.00	6.75
1575—30-in.	9.50	7.12

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CAMP GORDON BUREAU

Camp Gordon News Bureau of The Constitution, in charge of Mr. L. A. Wilhoit, is in the "Y" administration building. Soldiers are welcome.

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The Atlanta Constitution can be found on sale every day at the fourteen exchange stores in Camp Gordon.

HANCOCK DOCTOR PUT UNDER ARREST

Captain Edgar Bullis Faces Charge of Having Accepted Bribe to Aid in Securing Private's Discharge From Army.

Augusta, Ga., February 7.—(Special.) Captain Edgar S. Bullis, Medical Officers' Reserve corps, U. S. A., is in jail here charged with having accepted a bribe for using his influence as regimental surgeon to obtain the discharge from the army of Private W. J. S. Burgen, of the Second Motor Mechanics regiment, Camp Hancock. Captain Bullis was on duty with this regiment.

The alleged wrongdoing is in violation of the United States penal code bearing on acceptance of bribes by an officer of the federal government. Private Burgen's home is at Carnegie, Pa. The transaction in which the bribe is said to have been tendered and accepted was made Monday through an alleged representative of the boy's father, W. J. Burgen. Following the consummation of the transaction, the captain was arrested by Captain J. Albion Griffin, intelligence officer of the Twenty-eighth division.

Captain Bullis resigned from the army Monday night upon request, and avoided court-martial before the military authorities by consenting to have his case tried by the government civil authorities. Since then the military authorities have been in touch with the federal judicial department in regard to the case. Yesterday word was received to the effect that the matter could be handled through departmental channels.

Immediately following the receipt of the information the military authorities turned the captain over to the local United States marshal, the prisoner being marched to the camp boundaries where the official transfer was made.

Arraigned before United States Commissioner C. J. Skinner, Jr., this afternoon, Captain Bullis' bond was placed at $5,000. Unable to secure a bondsman, however, he was remanded to jail.

Captain Bullis will be given a preliminary hearing this afternoon before the United States commissioner. Assistant District Attorney John J. Bonham will prosecute the case for the government, assisted by Captain Griffin, who, aside from making the arrest, also worked the case up. Captain Bullis is 54 years of age. His home is in Glenn Falls, N. Y. He has been at Camp Hancock for several weeks.

Combined Artillery Bands Give Concert At Service Building

The combined bands of the 319th and 320th Field artillery regiments gave a concert of very high order at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium on Tuesday night.

The following program was arranged by the bandmasters, Thomas Tedasco, of the 319th Field Artillery band, and John Pugliese, of the 320th Field Artillery band:

March, "Stars and Stripes;" overture, "Orpheus;" piccolo solo, "Truth, the Airs;" grand selection, "Sounds From the Old Folks;" grand fantasy, "Strains of the War;" march, "Passadena Day;" march, "The Thunderer;" overture, "Poet and Peasant;" overture, "Leitspiel Comedy;" "Sounds From the Operas;" selection, "Underneath the Stars;" finale, "Star Spangled Banner."

While every number on the program was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience, one of the most pleasing features was the piccolo solo by Bandmaster Tedasco. The two bandmasters took turn in directing the band, and the work of each was complimented by interested members of the audience.

Reviews Saturday Again Dependent On the Weather

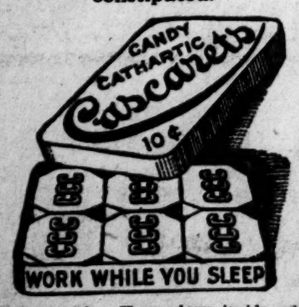
The staging of the big division review for inspection of the troops by Brigadier General McDonald on Wednesday will in no way interfere with the regular weekly troop reviews at Camp Gordon Saturday morning, according to announcement of officials at division headquarters Thursday.

As usual for the past two months, however, the reviews will be entirely dependent on the condition of the weather, and officials will not hesitate to call them off in the event of further rain or freeze. In the event that reviews are staged they will be held by separate organizations.

CASCARETS SELL TWENTY MILLION BOXES PER YEAR

Best, safest, cathartic for liver and bowels, and people know it.

They're fine! Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy or constipated.



Enjoy life. Keep clean inside with Cascarets. Take one or two at night and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand. Your head will be clear, your tongue clean, breath right, stomach sweet and your liver and thirty feet of bowels active. Get a box at any drug store and straighten up. Stop the headaches, bilious spells, bad colds and bad days—Brighten up. Cheer up. Clean up! Mothers should give a whole Cascaret to children when cross, bilious, feverish or if tongue is coated—they are harmless—never gripe or sicken.—(adv.)

MANY ARE TRANSFERRED TO MACHINE GUN UNITS

Organizations at Wheeler Are Brought to Full Strength for Early Service.

Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—Machine gun units of the Dixie division are being brought to full war strength. As other organizations are being drawn on to fill up the ranks of the machine gunners, it is reported the latter will be transferred to other divisions that will sail for France before the one here.

The 117th and the 118th battalions are at full strength. Men were transferred from the 122d infantry yesterday to the former and from the 123d infantry, First Alabama, and 124th infantry, Second Florida, to the latter.

With the battalions at full war strength, which means each has almost as many men as constituted a regiment of the national guard in peace times, the next step probably will be strenuous target practice. A machine gun range on artillery hill has been completed.

Men for the machine gun units were carefully chosen and thus it strengthens the belief that they will be sent abroad in advance of the divisions.

CAMP CHAPLAINS WILL DISTRIBUTE SMILEAGE

Civilians Having No Friends at Camp Urged to Communicate With Chaplains.

While members of the Rotary club of Atlanta were pushing forward the sale of smileage books for the Liberty theater among the people of the city Thursday, Chaplain W. C. Cowart, of the 328th Infantry regiment, was doing some good work at the camp in the way of making a careful explanation that civilians are not obliged to have friends in the camp in order to buy one of the smileage books and make one of Uncle Sam's soldiers happy.

On the other hand, Chaplain Cowart states the people of Atlanta and Georgia are urged to buy smileage books, even if they are not interested in a soul at Camp Gordon, and care will be taken to place the gift in the hands of one of the men.

This can be accomplished by means of the buyer of the ticket sending the gift to any on eof the chaplains at Camp Gordon, and they will give the matter their undivided attention. Merely put the smilage book in an envelope and mail it to any one of the regimental chaplains, and they will do the rest.

Below is a list of the names of the chaplains: Chaplain J. P. Tyler, 325th infantry; Chaplain George Hyman, 326th infantry; Chaplain Francis Wannamacher, 327th infantry; Chaplain W. C. Cowart, 328th infantry; Chaplain Carl E. Gallman, 319th Field Artillery; Chaplain Markley, 320th Field Artillery; Chaplain Paul M. Trout, 321st Field Artillery; Chaplain Mortelle, 307th Engineers; Chaplain Tennenbaum, 157th Depot brigade.

CAMP WORKERS TO HOLD MEET IN ATLANTA SOON

Convention to Include All Civilian Organizations Working Among Soldiers.

Official announcement that representatives of all civilian organizations at work in army cantonments throughout the southeastern department will hold a convention in Atlanta at an early date, to be later announced, has been made is Washington, according to information received by The Constitution.

The convention will be held for the purpose of more closely co-ordinating the work now being done by these organizations among the soldiers and eliminating all friction between them that may possibly exist now. The convention will also take up the discussion of facilitating all entertainment and recreation programs at the southeastern camps without loss of motion and useless expenditures.

An official of the war department will be present at the meet, which will be attended by representatives of the commission on training camp activities, the athletic directors, law enforcement authorities, song leaders, theatrical managers, the Y. M. C. A., the Knights of Columbus, Jewish board of welfare work, American Library association and the Red Cross. The date for the convention is expected to be made public in the near future.

"Protect Yourself and the Folks at Home"



DON'T FORGET YOUR INSURANCE!
PROTECT YOURSELF AND THE FOLKS AT HOME.
APPLY TO-DAY OR REGRET TO-MORROW

With approximately $160,000,000 in war risk insurance placed to its credit, Camp Gordon has oversubscribed its first allotment of $150,000,000 and is now pushing steadily on towards its new goal of $200,000,000. Practically all of the men of the Eighty-second division will forfeit their rights to this insurance on Febuary 12, and all efforts are being made to have every man fully insured before that time.

INTERESTING COURSE OUTLINED FOR SCHOOL

Dr. Phillips Announces Lectures in the Y. M. C. A. Training School.

Educational Director U. B. Phillips, of the Y. M. C. A., who will be one of the faculty of the training school at Camp Gordon for Y. M. C. A. workers in the southeastern department, has completed plans for his course of study in the school and made his schedule public. The training school is scheduled to open Monday under the direction of Dr. W. A. Lee.

Dr. Phillips' course will consist of 15 lectures on the causes, character and prospects of the present war as viewed by a Y. M. C. A. secretary for use in his work. The former professor of history in the University of Michigan states that the following will be the titles for his lectures, with the dates on which they are to be delivered:

February 11, The Nature of Nations and of Patriotism; February 12, Imperial Ambitions and Methods; February 13, The Progress and Policy of Prussia; February 14, Trembling Equilibrium; February 15, The Teuton Challenge to the World; February 18, The Spirit of France and Britain; February 19, The Mechanism of Modern War; February 20, The World as a Chessboard (1914-1918); February 21, The Complexities of the Allies' Cause; February 23, Revolution in Russia; February 25, The Freedom of the Seas; February 26, America's Poise and Plunge; February 27, The Nerves and Sinews of War; February 28, The Task and Prospect Ahead; March 1, Can This Be the Last of Wars?

POSTER CONTEST OF HOSTESS HOUSE CLOSES SATURDAY

The poster contest inaugurated some time ago by the authorities of the camp hostess house will close Saturday and all entrants are urged to bring in their drawings, which are intended to explain the nature of the work being done at the camp by the hostess house.

A board of judges, among them Louis Gregg and several prominent Atlanta ladies, has been appointed to award the prize to the winner. After the decision is arrived at the winning poster will be printed with appropriate wording on posters and scattered about the city and the camp to advertise the hostess house.

FRENCH BOOTBLACK FAMOUS AS TRENCH "MUD SPECIALIST"

Quantico, Va., February 7.—(Special.) What section of the trenches do you hail from? That's a hard question to answer, if you don't happen to know, and there's only one man in the world who can look at you and tell, according to latest reports from the United States marines in France.

A prophet? No, just a plain ordinary human being—and what's more, all he needs to see is your feet! To be sure, he's only a bootblack, but nevertheless, he's the acknowledged "mud specialist" of Paris.

A letter received here today from an overseas marine states: "While awaiting my turn in the 'specialist's' parlor recently, I observed a French soldier getting his boots polished. The man examined the mud on the Frenchman's boots and immediately told him he was from Verdun. 'Oui, certainement,' this polit was sure surprised. Then 'the 'mud doctor' gave me the once-over and said: 'And you, Monsieur, are from B——.' He certainly hit the nail on the head! He has made a study of what he calls mud culture, and is considered one of the highest specialized and most unique persons in Paris."

ARTILLERY BATTERY ARRIVES AT GORDON

New Arrival Is Important Addition to Camp's Equipment. Machine Gun Fire Begins.

One of the most important additions to the equipment of the Eighty-second division to be made during the recent past is that of a new battery of big guns for the artillery forces. The new equipment consists of four modern three-inch guns.

Up to date the artillery equipment of the camp has been confined to one battery of these guns which was continually in use at the artillery range. The new battery will afford actual practice at the camp without interfering with that going on at the range.

Another new movement in the advanced war training program of the camp is the recent beginning of marching gun practice by officers. Experts of long experience are conducting this course just as they are the other advanced training courses such as gas, defense, trench building and other lines of work.

The machine gun fire is going on in the hollow just to the rear of division headquarters, and immediately after the officers have completed their training the enlisted men will begin similar courses. Officials are awaiting the arrival of a shipment of hand grenades in order to speed up the work being done along lines of the use of these important little weapons.

To make the spring and weight exercising machines more attractive to children, a physical culturist has mounted them in a human figure, the handles being inclosed in the hands.



NO ADVANCE
In Prices Here

On account of the war most everyone has advanced their prices. OUR prices remain the same, although the prices of materials are way up. TAKE advantage NOW while we are able to give you the same high-class dental work at the same old prices we have charged for the last 10years.

GOLD CROWNS $3.00. BRIDGE WORK $3.00 PER TOOTH
BEST SET OF TEETH $5.00—YOUR DENTIST CHARGES $10
ALL WORK GUARANTEED
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ATLANTA DENTAL PARLORS
C. A. CONSTANTINE, Prop.
10 Years at Same Location. Corner Peachtree and Decatur Sts.

The Kid Has Gone to the Colors

The Kid has gone to the colors,
And we don't know what to say:
The kid we have loved and cuddled
Stepped out for the Flag today.
We thought him a child, a baby,
With never a care at all,
But his country called him man-size,
And the kid has heard the call.

He paused to watch the recruiting,
Where, fired by fife and drum,
He bowed his head to Old Glory
And thought that it whispered: "Come!"
The kid, not being a slacker,
Stood forth with patriot joy—
To add his name to the roster—
And God, we're proud of the boy!

The kid has gone to the colors;
It seems but a little while
Since he drilled a schoolboy army
In a truly martial style.
But now he's a man, a soldier,
And we lend him listening ear,
For his heart is a heart all loyal,
Unscourged by the curse of fear.

His dad, when he told him, shuddered,
His mother—God bless her!—cried,
Yet, blest with a mother-nature,
She wept with a mother-pride.
But he whose old shoulders straightened
Was granddad—for memory ran
To years when he, too, a youngster,
Was changed by the Flag to a man!

Mars Plays Havoc With Honeymoon Trip Of K. of C. Secretary

Mars has played havoc with the plans of Cupid in thousands of instances since the outbreak of the present war, but when the god of strife stepped in and interrupted a honeymoon trip he did a brand-new "stunt," so far as experience at Camp Gordon is concerned.



A. W. FRENIER,
Of Philadelphia, Pa., who cut short his honeymoon to accept the position of associate secretary of the Camp Gordon Knights of Columbus hall.

And Camp Gordon was indirectly concerned in the matter, for the result of the unusual interruption is that Arthur W. Frenier, formerly of Philadelphia, Pa., is now associate secretary of the Knights of Columbus hall there instead of being a quietly married man in the granite business in the Pennsylvania city.

Mr. Frenier married Miss Edith F. Manlove, also of Philadelphia, on January 8, 1918, and immediately after the ceremony the couple started on their honeymoon trip for the north. On January 18, while still visiting points of interest about the country, Mr. Frenier received an urgent order to report at once to Camp Gordon to assume the duties of associate secretary of the service building.

Without the least bit of hesitation or remonstrance with the author of his order, Mr. Frenier packed his trunk, dispatched his bride to her home and calmly caught a train for Camp Gordon, arriving there about January 20.

Since that time he has not seen his bride a single time, but has gotten right down to business in the service building and is doing great work to increase its efficiency and scope among the soldiers. Already Mr. Frenier has many friends among the soldiers and civilians who are engaged at work in the camp.

Mr. Frenier has a brother who is a member of the American expeditionary forces in France, and the Gordon secretary is very desirous of securing his transfer for service in the trenches in order to be near him. Mr. Frenier considers it highly probable that he will be sent "over there" in the course of a very short time.

Boxing Encouraged By Division Order Signed by Burnham

Boxing in connection with bayonet work and general military fitness received additional impetus at Camp Gordon yesterday, when an official order was issued instructing company commanders to select a boxing director and to encourage bouts among the men.

"To arouse the fighting instinct" of the men, is the reason given by the order for its appearance at the camp. C. A. Boyer, division athletic director, will be in charge of the training and operations of the boxing directors of the various companies of the division.

ENGLISH TRAINING BEGINS IN EARNEST

Demonstrations of Methods Completed and Active Class Work to Begin at Once.

Following the arrival of Fred J. Rindge, Jr., of the national Y. M. C. A. headquarters, New York, at Camp Gordon Wednesday, two demonstrations of the methods to be used in training foreigners to speak English have been given, and the scope of the work has broadened considerably.

Mr. Rindge has found since arriving at the camp that his work will be among approximately 8,000 foreigners who cannot speak or write the English language with any degree of fluency or accuracy. He has also announced that conferences will be held in the various company mess halls where instructors will be able to receive information concerning the methods to be pursued.

He has also explained in detail the nature of his work, which will closely resemble that of the elementary American schools so far as equipment and depth are concerned. He first divides his pupils in the grades to which they belong and then proceeds with their training with the aid of simple charts and pamphlets.

The war department is supplying a large amount of Mr. Rindge's educational equipment, and the authorities of the division at Camp Gordon have detailed a number of instructors who will put aside their other duties for that of teaching English. An order has also been issued making it compulsory for all foreigners to appear at the classes until they are excused by Mr. Rindge.

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Cotton Market Steadies Notably, After Early Decline, Scoring Gains

PROFESSIONAL VIEWS ON COTTON SITUATION

New York, February 7.—(Special.)—A continuance of yesterday's selling on and after the opening of the market caused a decline of approximately 20 points. Demand, however, came from trade interests and southern sources, and later in the afternoon recovering of contracts for local account brought about an advance of 30 points from the low of the day. Southern advices reaching the trade report spinners are making inquiries for fall delivery. Spot markets were officially reported firm.
J. W. JAY & CO.

New York, February 7.—(Special.)—The market opened lower because of the effect of government restrictions on prices in other commodities, but when it was pointed out that further drastic legislation was necessary before any action could be taken regarding cotton a covering demand appeared from recent sellers. It is understood that in coffee the government anticipates almost a complete cessation of imports, as the tonnage is diverted and they do not intend anyone shall benefit thereby beyond 8½ cents for spot coffee. But in cotton it would become necessary that congress should give power to control the price of cotton and cotton goods, and in face of the effect of giving these powers in coal and food products, the trade thought the reports from Washington showed congress was in no mood to bestow additional powers on anybody. The close was at the best prices of the day, with the trade looking forward to a further covering demand tomorrow.
HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

New York, February 7.—(Special.)—Today's market showed a firmer undertone with less talk of price-fixing and much emphasis on the probability of decreased acreage and scarcity of labor for the next crop. With prices in New York so much below a parity in the south this market is most responsible to bullish advices and any favorable developments would in our opinion result in quite a large-sized short covering movement. We continue to believe that around the present levels cotton should be purchased.
JOHNSTON, STORM & CO.

TRADE CONDITIONS FAIR IN ATLANTA DISTRICT

Business Over Country Affected by Bad Weather and Shortage of Coal.

Washington, February 7.—Bad weather and the shortage of coal and freight cars curtailed industrial production greatly all over the country, according to the monthly federal reserve board's report on business conditions, issued today. Most federal reserve banks report an improvement in the general outlook for the future.

By districts the report shows:

Richmond—Industries running full time; labor in demand, wages high; general activity above normal.

Atlanta—General business conditions fair, labor conditions fair.

New York—General business good; demand for labor greater than supply; development of business and industry during remainder of winter will depend largely on relief of congestion and fuel shortage.

Philadelphia—War industries active; labor scarce and inefficient.

Cleveland—Business active, limited only by scarcity of supplies; labor scarce and exacting.

Boston—Industries turning more toward government work; labor conditions fair with considerable unrest; demands for capital increasing.

Dallas—Bank clearings 31 per cent more than a year ago; heavy snow and rain have improved crop conditions.

San Francisco—Business active; labor conditions unsettled.

Chicago—General business good; no missgivings for future.

St. Louis—Most industries busy; labor scarce.

Minneapolis—Business fair considering the season; labor conditions good.

Kansas City—Bank clearings show nearly 50 per cent increase; shortage of farm labor threatened.

From Pleasant Valley To the Divorce Court Fate of Mrs. Smith

From Pleasant Valley to the divorce court is the fate of Mrs. Ruth Cook Smith, who was wedded in that happy little Georgia town and yesterday filed suit for divorce against Joe N. Smith, of the Atlanta Joint Terminal company.

Mrs. Smith alleges that her husband was very cruel in his treatment of her; that he not only refused to buy fuel for her while she was ill in her room, but continually nagged when she requested him to bring her medicine, taunting her with having tuberculosis.

It is stated by Mrs. Smith in her petition that her desperate condition was only relieved when her uncle came to her aid by having her removed to a local hospital.

ANNIE TREADWAY TRIAL POSTPONED TO MONDAY

Rome, Ga., February 7.—The trial of Annie May Treadway, charged with the murder of Tom Jenkins, city tax collector, was postponed today until Monday because of the illness of Charles I. Harris, special officer and principal witness for the state. Jenkins was slain at the defendant's home on the night of November 29, last.

When arrested the woman is said to have denied she killed Jenkins, but later, it is alleged, she confessed in the city jail to Sheriff Wash Smith. According to the alleged confession, she declared she killed Jenkins while he was attempting to gain entrance into her home.

NET EXPORTS OF GOLD SHOW LARGE DECREASE

Washington, February 7.—Net gold exports have decreased to less than $356,000 a week, ten times under the outward movement last October, under influence of the government's license restrictions. For the five weeks ending January 18, the federal reserve board reported today, net exports were $1,932,000. This was about half the rate of the preceding month. Imports were $3,506,000, mainly from Canada, and South American countries, and exports were $5,438,000, chiefly to Mexico, Canada and Chile.

For the year 1917 the net movement of gold into the country was $181,542,000, as compared with $529,952,000 for 1916, and $420,529,000 in 1915. Thus the country's gain in gold stocks since August 1, 1914, has been $1,050,785,000.

Sumter County Elects.

Americus, Ga., February 7.—(Special.) Americus veterans who lost their commander in the death of General H. T. Davenport, who died recently at his home here, have elected new officers and during the coming year John A. McDonald will be at the head of Camp Sumter, No. 642. Other officers named are H. D. Watts, first lieutenant; G. W. Markett, second lieutenant; T. F. Bowden, third lieutenant; A. J. Hutchinson, chaplain; Joe Day Stewart, color bearer; W. T. Fulford, alternate color bearer, and J. J. Logan, sergeant.

Loss of American Transport Depressing, But Promise of Warmer Weather Improving the Fuel Situation Offsets It.

RANGE IN NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
March	30.18	30.44	30.10	30.43	30.34
May	29.50	29.77	29.40	29.75	29.66
July	29.05	29.20	28.91	29.18	29.15
October	27.80	27.91	27.65	27.83	27.85
December	27.51	27.62	27.50	27.62	27.63

Closed very steady.

RANGE IN NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
March	29.25	29.38	29.10	29.34	29.35
May	28.55	28.75	28.45	28.70	28.70
July	28.15	28.93	28.08	28.28	28.34
October	26.70	26.93	26.70	26.90	26.86
December	26.55	26.71	26.66	26.75	26.71

Closed steady.

New York, February 7.—The cotton market steadied after an early decline, with May selling up from 29.40 to 29.77 and closing at 29.75. The general list closed very steady, net 10 points higher to 2 points lower, with old crop deliveries relatively firm.

The market was nervous and unsettled during the earlier trading. The loss, of an American transport had a depressing effect which rendered sentiment sensitive to pessimistic influences, and after opening at a decline of 5 to 14 points, active months soon sold some 20 to 25 points net lower.

Liverpool was a seller of May, while there was scattered southern selling, as well as liquidation and pressure from other sources. Offerings tapered off around 30.10 for March and 28.91 for July, however, and the market turned firmer on bullish advices as to acreage prospects, the continued steadiness of the spot markets, covering and a moderate demand from trade sources.

March sold up to 30.44 and July to 29.20, or 10 to 15 points net higher, closing within a few points of the best. New England reports that increased mill curtailment was probable may have been a factor in the early decline, but the promise of a spell of warmer weather led to hope that the fuel situation would soon improve.

No rain was reported in the southwest, and a number of reports were received during the day claiming that there would be little increase in acreage owing to the situation for larger food crops and scarcity of labor.

If anything, Washington advices tended to emphasize the tendency toward government control in many directions. This naturally led to further discussions as to the possibility of government regulation in cotton, but it was pointed out that additional legislation would be necessary before there could be any such action.

Spot cotton quiet: middling, 31.70.

SLIGHT NET ADVANCES SCORED TOWARDS CLOSE

New Orleans, February 7.—Small declines featured the trading in cotton in the early session here today, but toward the close the strongest months recovered all their losses and went to a slight net advance. The work of German submarines created a feeling of pessimism which was expressed in a moderate selling movement during the morning. Later the new crop situation was considered in a bullish light with the result that the demand increased. Last prices were 4 points up to 6 points down compared to yesterday's close.

Opening at the decline the market went 16 to 26 points under yesterday's finals. The recovery carried the list 3 to 5 points above yesterday's close on all months, but July, which at its best still stood at a net loss of one point.

October at times was the strongest month on the boards and its strength was due to disappointment over the failure of rains to appear in Texas and to reports from other states that the planting of food and feed crops would have a tendency to reduce the acreage under cotton.

Spots in New Orleans.

Spot cotton steady and unchanged. Sales on the spot, 648; to arrive, 962. Low middling, 29.38; middling, 30.63; good middling, 31.38. Receipts, 8,458; stock, 421,625.

COTTON MOVEMENT

ATLANTA WAREHOUSE CO.:
Atlanta 4's, 31¼c.

ATLANTA COMMERCIAL EXCHANGE:
Good middling, 31.50c.

Receipts, 1,287 bales.
Shipments, 1,313 bales.
Sales, 500 bales.
Stock, 47,965 bales.

Port Movement.

New Orleans—Middling, 30.63; receipts, 8,458; sales, 1,610; stock, 421,625.

Galveston—Middling, 31.00; receipts, 4,090; sales, 537; stock, 293,386.

Mobile—Middling, 30.50; receipts, 10,64; stock, 11,911.

Savannah—Middling, 30.75; receipts, 1,352; sales, 455; stock, 262,532.

Charleston—Middling, 30¼; receipts, 131; stock, 58,159.

Wilmington—Middling, 30.00; receipts, 66; stock, 42,038.

Texas City—Stock, 35,361.

Norfolk—Middling, 30.00; receipts, 155; sales, 217; stock, 86,041.

Baltimore—Stock, 27,382.

Boston—Middling, 31.60; receipts, 151; stock, 19,400.

Philadelphia—Middling, 31.95; stock, 4,982.

New York—Middling, 31.70; receipts, 223; stock, 135,258.

Minor Ports—Stock, 33,525.

Total Today—Receipts, 15,690; stock, 1,431,700.

Total for Week—Receipts, 83,245; exports, 45,204.

Total for Season—Receipts, 4,374,678; exports, 2,653,131.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 30.50; receipts, 4,499; shipments, 6,096; sales, 2,092; stock, 222,779.

Memphis—Middling, 31.75; receipts, 7,852; shipments, 10,915; sales, 3,100; stock, 268,277.

Augusta—Middling, 30.75; receipts, 412; shipments, 904; sales, 1,063; stock, 172,784.

St. Louis—Middling, 31.25; receipts, 2,353; shipments, 2,477; stock, 30,936.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 419; shipments, 447; stock, 31,129.

Little Rock—Middling, 30.75; receipts, 1,181; shipments, 2,064; sales, 2,064; stock, 53,462.

Dallas—Middling, 30.45; sales, 487.

Montgomery—Middling, 31.00.

Total Today—Receipts, 16,716; shipments, 22,903; stock, 769,367.

Comparative Port Receipts.

Ports.	Last Year.	Thursday.
Galveston	7,055	4,090
New Orleans	1,297	8,458
Mobile	22	1,064
Savannah	844	1,352
Charleston	15	131
Wilmington	31	66
Norfolk	1,414	155
New York		223
Boston	32	151
Philadelphia	114	...
Total all ports	10,877	15,690

Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, February 7.—Cotton spot dull; prices unchanged. Good middling, 23.74; middling, 23.32; low middling, 22.69; good ordinary, 21.69. Sales, 3,000 bales, including 1,800 American. Receipts, 10,000 bales, including 4,000 American. Futures closed barely steady. New contracts: February, 23.27; March, 23.86; April, 22.51; May, 22.17; June, 21.90; July, 21.62. Old contracts, fixed prices: February, 21.97; February-March, 21.88; March-April, 21.79; May-June, 21.63; June-July, 21.55.

WHAT RETAILERS PAY FOR FRUIT AND PRODUCE

United States department of agriculture, bureau of markets, daily market news bulletin. C. W. Chewning, assistant in market surveys.

The following are actual prices at which produce could be bought Thursday by the retail grocery and hotels on the Atlanta markets. Housewives will find this a guide in making their purchases, but must take into consideration that a margin sufficient to cover legitimate expenses and a just to cover legitimate expenses and a just prices:

Apples—No fresh arrivals; demand limited, movement slow, market steady; quality and condition variable, some scalded.

Barrels—Virginias, fancy Yorks, $4.50@6.00, or 41c to 54c peck; fancy Ben Davis, $5.50@5.75, or 50c to 52c peck; fancy and extra fancy Winesaps, $6.50@7.00, or 59c to 64c peck.

Boxes—Washington, fancy Winesaps and Wagners, medium size, $2.25, or 18-20c doz.; extra fancy Winesaps and Wagners, $2.50@2.75, or 20-48c doz. Georgia, fancy Ganos and Bens, medium to large size, $2.00, or 16-21c dozen.

Cabbage—One car arrived from New York; demand and movement good, market strong. New York Danish, per 100 lbs., crated, $4.75@5.00, or 4¾c to 5c lb.; Florida, approximately 90 lbs., crated, $4.75@5.00, or 4¾c to 5c pound.

Sweet Potatoes—No fresh carlot arrivals; demand and movement moderate, market steady; Georgia, Porto Ricans and Nancy Halls, good quality and condition, sacked, per 100 lbs., $2.75@3.00, or 2¾c to 3c pound.

White Potatoes—One car arrived, origin unknown; demand and movement good, market fair. Colorado Rurals, Minnesota Burbanks and Iowa Russetts, $3.00 per 100 lbs., sacked, or 3c per pound. Few high as $3.25, or 3¼c pound.

Onions—No fresh arrivals; demand and movement moderate, market steady. Middle western, sacked, per 100 lbs. Reds, $3.50@3.75, or 3¼c to 3¾c lb.; middle western, sacked, per 100 lbs., Yellows, $3.75@3.85, or 3¾c to 3¾c pound. Spanish, per 40-lb. crates, $1.75, or 4 1-3c pound.

Oranges—One car arrived from Florida; demand and movement moderate, market fair. Florida, 126's larger, $4.25@4.50 box, or 40c to 42c dozen; Florida, 150's, to 250's, $4.75@5.00 box, or 20c to 37c dozen.

Grapefruit—No fresh arrivals; demand limited, movement slow, market fair. Floridas, 36's, $3.25@3.50 per box, or 3c to 9½c each; Floridas, 46's to 80's, $3.75@4.00 per box, or 4c to 8½c each; Floridas, 96's, smaller, $3.00 per box, or 2c to 3c each. Extra fancy fresh stock, 25c higher.

Lettuce—Approximately 200 packages arrived by express; demand and movement good for good stock, market steady. Floridas, 1½-bushel hampers, head, $2.00@2.25, or 2½c to 8c per head; Floridas, 1¼-bushel hampers, head, extra fancy, $2.50.

Celery—No fresh arrivals; demand and movement moderate, market steady. California, Golden Hearts, $5.50 per crate in the rough, $5.75@6.00 per crate, washed and bunched; $1.00@1.10 per bunch, or 3c to 9c per stalk, medium to large size; 3c to 6c for small size stalk.

Tomatoes—Supplies adequate; demand good for good stock; offerings poor, very little good stock arriving. Florida, best, $2.00@2.50 per crate, or 32c to 41c per basket.

Rutabagas—Canadian, 2½c to 2¾c per pound. South Carolinas, 2¼c per pound.

Cauliflower—Demand and movement slow, market fair. Approximately 40-pound hampers, $2.50@3.00, or 6c to 7½c per pound.

Bananas—2½c to 2¾c per pound.

ATLANTA QUOTATIONS ON COTTON SEED PRODUCTS

FEBRUARY—	Bid.	Asked.
Crude oil, prime basis	17½	.....
Cotton seed meal, 7 per cent ammonia	47.50	.....
Cotton seed meal, 7 per cent, Georgia common rate point	47.50	
Cotton seed hulls, loose	20.00	20.50
Cotton seed hulls, sacked	24.00	24.50
Linters, clean mill run	.04¾	.05
MARCH—		
Crude oil, prime basis	17½	.....
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Cotton Seed Quotations.

Georgia common rate points ..$70.00@75.00
Cotton seed f. o. b. Atlanta .... 70.00@80.00

Cotton Seed Oil.

New York, February 7.—The market for cotton oil was dull and featureless, closing net unchanged. There were no sales or tenders. Prime crude, 17.50. The market closed quiet; spot, 20.20 bid.

The range in futures follows:

	Open.	Close.
February	20.20 bid	20.20 bid
March	20.20 bid	20.30 bid
April	20.50 ask	20.25@20.50
May	20.30@20.50	20.30@20.50

Commodities in New York.

New York, February 7.—Flour, dull and nominal.

Pork, dull; mess, $51.00.

Lard, easier; middle west spot, $26.05@26.15.

Sugar, raw, steady; centrifugal, 96 test, refined, steady; cut loaf, 8.95; crushed, 8.70; powdered, 7.60; granulated, 7.45.

Coffee, Rio No. 7, on spot, 8¾c.

Tallow, specials, city, 17¼; country, 16¾c.

Hay, firm; No. 1, $1.85@1.95; No. 3, $1.60@1.72; clover, $1.35@1.85.

Rice.

New Orleans, February 7.—Rough and clean rice continued steady today, with quotations unchanged. Receipts—Rough, 300 sacks; millers, 300 sacks; clean, 4,437 pockets. Sales—Clean, Honduras, 350 pockets; Blue Rose, 1,150 pockets.

Provisions.

Chicago, February 7.—Cash:
Pork, nominal.
Lard, $25.62.
Ribs, $23.52@24.02.

TUSCANIA DISASTER BLOW TO MARKET

Considering the Disquieting Character of News, However, Stocks Give Good Account of Themselves, Receding Only Few Points.

New York, February 7.—Considering the very disquieting character of much of the overnight news, today's stock market, it was generally conceded, gave a very good account of itself.

The Tuscania disaster with its toll of lives, the government's new financial plans and advices from various quarters indicated further industrial unsettlement here provoked recessions of 1 to 4 points in the active list. Lowest quotations were made towards the close on reports of another marine disaster.

Interest, speculative and otherwise once more centered around shippings, that group standing up better than any other division, though forfeiting its advantage at the end.

War issues were extremely irregular, several of the leading equipments being among the first to yield, while others were relatively firm. Deprived of their recent support, most of the so-called "pooled" stocks reacted 1 to 3 points.

United States Steel was under pressure from the outset, bear operators concentrating upon that stock for its effect elsewhere. Many of the more popular rails suffered losses of 1 to 2 points, Pacifics and coalers leading the reversal, as usual.

Motors, oils, tobaccos and utilities, especially gas issues, were carried down in the heavier offerings of the last hour, losing 1 to 3 points.

Further weakness in French issues and a new minimum for Liberty second 4's at 95.74, were the features of the bond market. Sales, par value, aggregated $4,235,000.

United States 4's (old issues) declined ⅝ per cent on call.

Stocks in New York.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Am. Beet Sugar	78½	77⅝	77⅝	78¼
American Can	39⅝	37¾	38½	38½
American Car & Foundry	72½	71¾	72½	72½
Am. Locomotive	58¾	57⅝	58	58¼
Americal Smelting & Refining	82½	80⅝	80⅝	82⅝
American Sugar	105	104½	105	106
Anaconda Copper	62⅝	61½	61⅝	62
Atchison	84¼	82⅝	84	84⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	90	90	90	90
American Tobacco	167	165	165	167⅞
Atlantic G. & W. I.	114⅞	112½	112½	114
American T. & T.	107½	106	106½	107¾
Baldwin Locomotive	65½	62¾	65½	63¾
Baltimore & Ohio	51	50⅝	50⅝	51⅛
Bethlehem Steel "B"	76½	75	75½	76
Canadian Pacific	147⅜	145½	145⅝	146½
Central Leather	71⅞	69¼	69⅝	70¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	52⅝	52¼	52½	52¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	42⅝	41½	42⅜	43
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	20	19⅝	19½	19⅜
Colorado Fuel & I.			36½	37⅝
Columbia Gas & Electric	34⅞	34	34	35
Corn Products	33⅞	32⅞	33	33⅝
Crucible Steel	56⅝	55	55½	56⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar	31	30⅝	30⅝	31¼
Chino Copper	43⅛	43¼	43½	43¾
Erie	14⅝	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜
General Motors	136	133½	135½	136½
Great Northern pfd.	90⅝	89¾	90	91¼
Great Northern Ore ctfs.	27¼	26¾	26¾	27⅝
Gulf States Steel			89	90
General Electric	136	134	134	136
Illinois Central	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛	94⅝
Inspiration Copper	45½	44½	44½	45½
Int. Mer. Marine	25⅛	25¼	25¼	26⅜
do. pfd.	98⅝	96	96½	97¾
International Nickel	28	27⅝	27⅞	28½
International Paper	32¼	30¼	30¼	31⅝
Kennecott Copper	33⅜	32½	32½	33
Louisville & Nashville			113	114½
Maxwell Motors	30	28¾	29½	31
Mexican Petroleum	91½	89¼	89⅝	91½
Midvale Steel	45⅞	44½	44¾	45¼
Missouri Pacific	22	21½	21¾	22¼
Miami Copper	30⅝	30¼	30½	30⅝
Nevada Consolidated	18¾	18⅝	18⅝	18⅞
New York Central	70⅜	70⅛	70¼	70½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	29½	29	29½	30
Norfolk & Western	105	103½	103⅝	105¼
Northern Pacific	85	83½	83½	85⅛
Ohio Cities Gas	41½	39¼	40	40⅝
Pennsylvania	46⅛	45⅝	46⅛	46
Pittsburg Coal			46	47
Ray Consol. Copper	23⅝	23½	23⅝	23¼
Reading	75⅛	73⅝	73⅝	74⅝
Rep. Iron & Steel	76	75	75	76⅝
Seaboard Air Line	7¾	7⅛	7⅛	8
do. pfd.			17½	17
Sinclair Oil & Refining	35⅝	35⅛	35⅜	37
Sloss-Shef. S. & I.	42½	42	42	42½
Southern Pacific	83¼	82⅜	82⅝	84
Southern Railway	23⅜	23	23¼	23¼
do. pfd.	59	58	58⅜	59⅛
Studebaker Corp.	51½	49⅝	49¼	52
Tennessee Copper	16½	16	16	16⅝
Texas Co.	156½	152½	152½	157½
Tobacco Products	54	53	53⅛	54½
Union Pacific	114⅝	113½	113⅞	114½
United Cigar Stores	94¼	93½	93½	96
United Fruit	125¼	125	125	128½
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	136¼	121½	122¾	125¾
U. S. Rubber	56⅜	56	56	53¾
U. S. Steel	94⅛	92⅞	93¼	94⅝
do. pfd.	110	109¼	109⅝	110⅝
Utah Copper	83⅜	81½	81½	82¼
Va.-Caro. Chemical			40	40¼
Wabash pfd. "A"	41½	40½	41	41½
Westinghouse Elec.	41½	41	41¼	41½

Total sales, 649,500 shares.

Bonds in New York.

U. S. 2s registered, bid	97½
do. coupon, bid	97½
U. S. 3s registered, bid	99
do. coupon, bid	99
U. S. Liberty 3½s	98.04
U. S. 4s registered, bid	104⅝
do. coupon, bid	104⅝
American Foreign Securities 5s	96½
American Tel. & Tel. clt. 5s	94½
Anglo-French 5s	89⅞
Atchison gen. 4s	84
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s, bid	82⅝
Baltimore & Ohio cv. 4½s	78⅝
Bethlehem Steel ref. 5s	89¼
Central of Georgia Consol. 5s, bid	85½
Central Leather 5s	95⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio cv. 5s	77¼
Chicago, R. I. & Quincy joint 4s	62⅝
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. cv. 4½s, bid	73½
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. ref. 4s	66
Colorado & Southern ref. 4½s	69
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	48½
Dominion of Canada 5s (1931)	93½
Erie gen. 4s	52½
Illinois Central ref. 4s, bid	80¼
Int. Mer. Marine 6s	92⅝
Kansas City Southern ref. 5s	75⅝
Liggett & Myers 5s, bid	92
Louisville & Nashville un. 4s, bid	85
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s, bid	62
Missouri Pacific gen. 4s	57½
New York Central deb. 6s	93
Norfolk & Western con. 4s	84
Northern Pacific 4s	84
Pennsylvania Consolidated 4½s, bid	98
do. gen. 4½s	89¾
Reading gen. 4s, bid	84¼
Republic Iron & Steel 5s (1940)	97¾
St. Louis & San Fran. adj. 6s	65
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s	51
Southern Bell Telephone 5s	91
Southern Pacific cv. 5s	89½
Southern Railway 5s	92½
do. gen. 4s	60¾
Texas Company cv. 6s	99¾
Texas & Pacific 1st	85½@95
Union Pacific 4s	87½
United Kingdom 5s	98¾
U. S. Steel 5s	33¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical 5s	94@97
Wabash 1st	95

Money Market.

New York, February 7.—Mercantile paper, 5½@5¾. Sterling, 60-day bills, $4.72; commercial, 60-day bills on banks, 4.71½; commercial, 60-day bills, 4.71¼; demand, 4.75; cables, 4.76½.

Bar silver, 86¼.

Time loans, firm; 60 days, 5½@5¾; 90 days and six months, 5¾@6.

Call money firm; high, 5; low, 4; ruling rate, 4; closing bid, 4½; offered at 4¾; last loan, 4¾.

Francs, demand, 5.12 7-16; cables, 5.10⅜. Guilders, demand, 43½; cables, 44. Lires, demand, 8.61; cables, 8.59. Rubles, demand, 14; cables, 14½.

Mexican dollars, 68¾.

Government bonds heavy; railroad bonds easy.

Atlanta Bank Clearings.

Clearings Thursday.....$7,029,604.75
Same day last year.....3,253,945.20

Increase for day.....$3,775,659.55

London Financial.

London, February 7.—Bar silver, 43d per ounce. Money, 2¼ per cent. Discount rates, short bills, 4 1-32 per cent; three months bills, 4 1-16 per cent.

Foreign Bank Statements.

London, February 7.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, decreased	£ 232,000
Circulation, increased	235,000
Bullion, increased	2,549
Other securities, increased	5,004,000
Public deposits, increased	2,906,000
Other deposits, increased	2,860,000
Notes reserve, decreased	242,000
Government securities, increased	1,014,000

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities this week is 18.56 per cent; last week it was 19.37 per cent.

Discount rates, 5 per cent.

Paris, February 7.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes:

	Francs.
Gold in hand, increased	1,640,000
Silver in hand, increased	2,075,000
Notes in circulation, increased	205,781,000
Treasury deposits, increased	247,049,000
General deposits, decreased	370,486,000
Bills discounted, increased	331,332,000
Advances, increased	2,075,000

Coffee.

New York, February 7.—There was a renewal of heavy general liquidation in the coffee market thermometer, reflecting the continued disposition to close out commitments as the results of yesterday's action by the food administrator. First prices were 8 to 17 points lower and the loss extended to a matter of 64 to 72 points, with May selling at 7.53 and September at 7.80, or some 90 to 100 points below the opening prices of yesterday morning. Covering caused slight rallies toward the close, which showed a net loss of 58 to 63 points for the day. Closing bids: March 7.45; May, 7.63; July, 7.75; September, 7.89; October, 7.96; December, 8.09.

Spot coffee quiet, with prices lower at 8¼ for Rio 7's and 10¼ for Santos 4's.

The official cables reported no change at Rio. The Santos market was nominal for spots, but 125 to 150 reis lower for futures. Brazilian port recipts, 55,000; Jundiahy, 41,000. Santos reported a clearance of 32,000 for New York.

Metals.

New York, February 7.—Metal exchange quotes lead steady; spot, 6.87@7.12; spelter, dull; East St. Louis spot, 7.87 asked.

At London: Copper, spot, £110; futures, £110; electrolytic, £125. Tin, spot, £305; futures, £302 10s. Lead, spot, £29 10s; futures, £28 10s. Spelter, spot, £54; futures, £50.

CORN SCORES GAIN ON TUSCANIA LOSS

Many Traders Appeared to Regard Loss of Boat as a Factor Which Would Tend to Prolong the War.

Chicago, February 7.—Advances in the value of grain resulted directly today from the sinking of the Tuscania. Corn closed firm ½c net higher, with May $1.25⅝. Oats gained 1⅛ to 1⅛@1⅝c net. Provisions showed a rise of 5 to 10c.

Many traders appeared to regard the loss of life on the Tuscania as a factor which would tend to prolong the war. This view attracted notice from the outset in the corn market, and largely as a result there was increasing strength in prices throughout the day. News that another Cunarder had been torpedoed came just before the close of the session, but was not generally known in time to be a market influence. The fact that despite better weather the receipts of corn remained very small acted as a handicap on the bears, but was more or less offset by announcements that no unseasonable low temperatures were expected this week.

Scantiness of supplies did a good deal to hoist the oats market. Some attention was also given to the fact that barley was at the highest level since the civil war.

Likelihood of enlarged shipments to the east put strength into provisions. Big supplies of hogs had only a transient bearish effect.

Chicago Quotations.

The following were the ruling prices on the exchange Thursday:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
CORN—					
May	1.25¼	1.25¾	1.25¼	1.25⅝	1.25⅛
OATS—					
March	82⅝	82⅞	82⅜	82¾	82⅝
May	79⅝	80¾	79½	80¾	79⅝
PORK—					
May	46.65	46.77	46.65	46.77	26.72
LARD—					
May	25.47	25.62	25.42	25.60	25.50
July					25.60
RIBS—					
May	24.65	24.67	24.55	24.65	24.55

Receipts in Chicago.

	Thursday.
Wheat	4 cars
Corn	104 cars
Oats	64 cars
Hogs	45,000 head

Cash Grain.

Chicago, February 7.—Corn, Nos. 2 and 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, $1.80.

Oats, No. 3 white, 86¾@88; standard, 87¼@89.

Rye, No. 2, nominal.

Barley, $1.55@1.82.

Timothy, $5.00@8.25.

Clover, $21.00@30.00.

Kansas City, February 7.—Corn, No. 2 mixed, $1.72@1.80; No. 2 white, $1.95@2.00; No. 2 yellow, $1.80@1.85.

Oats, No. 2 white, 88½@89; No. 2 mixed, 85½@86.

Live Stock.

Chicago, February 7.—Hogs—Receipts, 45,000, weak. Bulk, $16.50@16.75; light, $16.10@16.75; mixed, $16.25@16.80; heavy, $16.00@16.75; rough, $16.00@16.25; pigs, $13.25@15.40.

Cattle—Receipts, 17,000, weak. Native steers, $8.50@14.00; stockers and feeders, $7.30@10.35; cows and heifers, $6.30@11.75; calves, $9.50@16.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 13,000, steady. Wethers, $10.00@13.50; ewes, $9.75@13.00; lambs, $14.75@17.75.

St. Louis, February 7.—Hogs—Receipts, 13,500; steady. Lights, $16.50@16.70; pigs, $12.00@15.50; mixed and butchers, $16.65@16.85; good heavy, $16.70@16.90; bulk, $16.80@16.85.

Cattle—Receipts, 4,000, steady. Native beef steers, $8.00@13.50; yearling steers and heifers, $7.00@13.50; cows, $6.00@11.50; stockers and feeders, $6.00@10.50; fair to prime southern beef steers, $9.00@12.50; beef cows and heifers, $6.00@10.00; prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@10.00; native calves, $6.00@16.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,300, steady. Lambs, $14.00@17.75; ewes, $10.50@12.00; wethers, $11.30@13.25; canners and choppers, $6.00@9.00.

Kansas City, February 7.—Hogs—Receipts, 11,000, lower. Bulk, $16.35@16.60; heavy, $16.50@16.70; packers and butchers, $16.50@16.65; light, $16.35@16.60; pigs, $12.50@14.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,000, steady. Prime fed steers, $12.25@13.75; dressed beef steers, $10.25@12.50; southern steers, $7.50@10.00; cows, $6.50@10.50; heifers, $7.00@11.00; stockers and feeders, $7.50@11.50; bulls, $6.75@10.00; calves, $7.00@14.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,500, steady. Lambs, $16.00@17.25; yearlings, $13.50@14.75; wethers, $11.50@13.50; ewes, $11.50@12.75.

Country Produce.

New York, February 7.—Butter easy; creamery, special market, 43@47c.

Eggs easy, weak; receipts, 2,958; near-by fancy, 63@65c; near-by mixed fancy, 57@63c; fresh firsts, 60½@63c.

Cheese quiet; state milk, common to specials, 24@26½c; skims, common to specials, 6@20½c.

Dressed poultry, firm; turkeys, 24@38c; chickens, 25@35c; fowls, 22@32c; ducks, 29c.

Live poultry, unsettled; geese, 30@33c; ducks, 30@33c; fowls, 30@33c; turkeys, 30c; roosters, 20@22c; chickens, broilers, 28@29c.

Chicago, February 7.—Butter, creamery extras, 49½c; creamery firsts, 48½c; firsts, 46@46c; seconds, 43½@47½c.

Eggs, ordinaries, 51@53c; firsts, 53@53¼c.

Cheese, twins, 24⅛@25¼c; Young Americas, 27@28¼c.

Live poultry, fowls, 29c; ducks, 26@27c; geese, 19@22½c; springs, 26c; turkeys, 24c.

Potatoes, ten cars; all grades, $1.90@2.15.

Kansas City, February 7.—Butter and poultry unchanged.

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SPORTS.

L. S. U. Cancels Game With A. A. C.

EDITED BY DICK JEMISON

DER KATZIES : : : : Der Kids Are Ready, But der Captain Iss Wise



L. S. U. CANCELS GAME WITH A. A. C.

The Louisiana State university has cancelled the game scheduled for Saturday night with the Atlanta Athletic club and efforts to get them to reconsider have been without avail.

The Camp Wadsworth team from Spartanburg, S. C., have been secured to play the locals in their stead and a good game is expected.

The club will use the same line-up as that started against Birmingham, Strupper and Dodge at forwards, Cocke at center and Dunwoody and Bryan guards.

The reason L. S. U. passed up the A. A. C. game is evident from the story from The Constitution's correspondent at Alabama.

L. S. U. VS. ALABAMA.
By Roy L. Smart.

University, Ala., February 7.—(Special.)—The cage tilt with Dr. C. C. Stroud's L. S. U. Tigers Saturday night will be the first game Alabama will play at home. Up to date the Louisianians enjoy the eminence of being the only southern basket team, with the exception of Georgia, that has not tasted defeat this season. Alabama is making good use of the time between now and the game in getting in shape to give a spirited fight to the would-be champions.

The game will be the second for the team this season, the other having been played against B. A. C. in Birmingham. Since the first game Manager Jim Downey and Acting Captain Stuffy Agree, as well as the other members of the team, have been faithfully at work every day. It was not known until shortly before the game that the three veterans who are absent, Captain Goodall, Bill Moore and Anderson, would not be able to take part in the game. Since that time men have been in training to fill their places and as a result L. S. U. will meet a stronger team than B. A. C. did.

In the crippled condition of the team from the loss of three of its best men it is expected that Alabama will have a full day's work to do if she holds the Tigers to a low score, for it is believed that Dr. Stroud's team will have all their reported strength and that they will exert themselves to win over the Crimson and White. A lively game is promised the anxious fans.

Talty O'Connor, halfback of last season's football team, has donned a basket uniform and is hustling to make the team. He has already shown promising ability, being fast and sure. The number of candidates for the team has dwindled from thirty to fifteen. Most of the men are new and inexperienced, but look like coming stars.

DATE OF MEETING HERE NOT SETTLED

Memphis, Tenn., February 7.—The schedule committee of the Southern association, meeting here in executive session, yesterday completed a tentative schedule for the 1918 playing season to be submitted to the spring meeting of the association in Atlanta for ratification.

No announcement was made as to the schedule agreed upon, other than that it provided for the opening of the season April 18. The date for the opening games and the length of the season, 140 games, was decided upon at a recent meeting of the directors of the association in Birmingham.

Robert H. Baugh, president of the association, stated that the date for the Atlanta meeting had not been definitely fixed, but probably would be held between February 21 and 25.

LEAGUE LEADERS FACE REAL TEST

Marist College Five Will Give Boys' High a Stiff Tussle in Their Battle Today.

Boys' High school, the present leaders in the prep basketball league, will face a strenuous game this afternoon when they line up against the Marist college five.

Joe Bean's Ivy street team has been coming along at a great clip during the past couple of weeks, and they are primed to give the league leaders a real battle. The issue is one of very grave doubt.

There are two other games scheduled for the day. Commercial High will play Tech High, and this should be a real contest also.

The other game scheduled, that between Fulton and Peacock, will be forfeited to the former.

DUTCHMAN LEAVES FOR NEW ORLEANS

Manager Charley Frank left yesterday for New Orleans to spend a few days winding up his personal affairs there before coming to Atlanta permanently for the baseball season. The Dutchman is expected back here next week.

The International league meeting will be held next week and Secretary Billy Smith has been commissioned by Manager Frank to go to the meeting and see if he can land some players for the Crackers.

Billy is personally acquainted with all the players in the league and by a personal visit he may be able to conclude the trade for some of the players that Manager Frank has been corresponding about for some time.

HOSPITAL UNIT G WINS FROM UNIT C IN BASEBALL GAME

Hospital Unit G, stationed at Fort McPherson, was winner in a one-sided baseball game with Unit C, of the same fort, yesterday by the score of 15 to 0. The following are the line-ups and a summary of the game.

The Box Score.

UNIT G—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
L. L. Goes, p.	3	1	2	1	1	0
Wilbur, ss.	4	1	2	0	0	0
Carpenter, cf.	4	3	2	0	0	0
Eberling, 1b.	4	3	2	5	0	0
Welch, c.	5	0	0	8	0	0
Kinsey, 2b.	3	2	2	1	2	0
C. L. Goes, rf.	3	2	1	2	0	0
Robineau, lf.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Hessler, 3b.	4	1	2	1	1	0
Totals	33	15	14	18	5	0

UNIT C—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Barr, c.-cf.	3	0	1	8	0	0
Johnson, 1b.	1	0	0	3	0	1
Shannon, 3b.-p.-c.	2	0	0	3	1	1
Hunter, p.	1	0	0	0	0	1
Irvin, cf.-3b.-p.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Goodmiller, ss.	2	0	0	2	1	1
Golar, 2b.	3	0	0	1	2	1
Hurd, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	1
Turnbull, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	1
Flack, 3b.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	17	0	1	18	3	7

Summary—Three-base hit, Eberling; bases on balls, off Hunter 3 in 2 innings; off Irvin, 5 in 2 innings, off Goes 1; struck out, by Hunter 4, by Irvin 4, by Shannon 2, by Goes 8; first base on errors 3; stolen bases, Barr, Carpenter, Eberling 2; hit by pitcher, Robineau (by Hunter); wild pitch, Irvin 2; passed balls, Barr 2; sacrifice hits, Johnson, Wilbur; double play, L. Goes to Eberling to Kinsey. Umpires, Lieutenant Barney and Lieutenant Knox.

KIECKHEFER LEADS CHAMPION DE ORO

Chicago, February 7.—Augie Kieckhefer gained 13 points in tonight's play against Alfredo de Oro for the world's three-cushion billiard championship and now leads the champion 100 to 95. Kieckhefer scored 58 points tonight to De Oro's 45, making them in seventy innings. He had a high run of 6, while De Oro's best continuous score was 7. The final block will be played tomorrow night.

De Oro, with a lead of 8 points from last night's block, again relied on his safety play, only to have Kieckhefer repeatedly break through with shots which seemed impossible. The challenger made no attempt to play safe, but tried every shot, and though the breaks of the game went against him at most times, his phenomenal shooting enabled him to tie the total score in the twenty-second inning tonight and to go into the lead at the twenty-fifth. At the forty-first inning of tonight's play Kieckhefer led by 10 points, but De Oro rallied and was ahead, 94 to 90, in the sixty-third. Kieckhefer then by runs of 6 to 2 and two single points went out, while De Oro scored only 1 more point.

De Oro, who was repeatedly cheered last night, lost favor with the audience when he twice protested shots made by his opponent tonight.

GIRLS' PREP GAMES

The following is the schedule of games in the Girls' Prep league for today.

Decatur vs. Marietta.
Washington Seminary vs. Fulton.

ATHLETIC COUNCIL OF TECH TO MEET

Georgia Tech's athletic council is scheduled to hold a meeting today at which several matters of import are to be brought up.

Chief will be a discussion of plans for the baseball season and the possibility of mapping out a baseball schedule.

The other matter will be the appointment of a football manager to succeed Winnie Collins. All of Collins' assistants have left school and the search will have to be made in new fields.

AMUSEMENTS

"Twin Beds."

(At the Atlanta.)

Before an enthusiastic audience "Twin Beds," a three-act comedy, opened a three nights' engagement in the city at the Atlanta theater last night.

"Twin Beds" is a typical comedy in which the affairs of three young married couples become suddenly entangled in a very startling fashion.

The show is a laughable and attractive mixture of spicy lines and clever acting. As a comedy it is undoubtedly one of the best that has appeared in Atlanta this season.

Another clever company presents this year's offering of "Twin Beds," the leading characters of the cast being taken by especially able performers. Miss Josephine Saxe, as Blanche Hawkins, is a pretty and capable leading lady, and Luis Alberni, as Signor Monti, and Hamilton Mott, as Harry Hawkins, divide honors so far as the male parts are concerned.

Antoinette Rochte, as Signora Monti, wife of the eccentric Italian opera singer, is exceptionally good in her line of work, and Kathryn Mills, as Nora, the Irish serving maid, also deserves praise for the manner in which she makes a minor part stand out.

"Twin Beds" will appear Friday and Saturday nights at the Atlanta, with a Saturday matinee, and Andrew Mack, in "Molly Dear," will come to this theater Monday night of next week.

Keith Vaudeville.

(At the Lyric.)

Margaret Edwards, who is billed as "Revelations in Physical Culture and Dancing" on the last half bill at the Lyric this week, certainly lives up to her billing. She closes the bill, but none dream of leaving their seats until the last curtain has fallen.

She introduces herself by means of a series of announcement slides on the screen, which describe her as the most perfectly developed woman in the United States and contiguous territory, and gives an assortment of details as to her measurements and the advantages of physical culture.

The screen then rises and discloses a stage draped in yellow and purple, and adorned with huge embroidered peacocks. The back curtain parts and she proceeds to prove the truth of the different statements given on the screen. She then descends from her pedestal and gives a couple of aesthetic dances which combine agility, grace, abandon, gymnastics and some rather wonderful posturing.

During her act, Jake Mathiessen is deposed from his command of the orchestra, and a temporary conductoress in the person of Jane Quirk, dressed a la Hussar de la creme, takes his place. She also gives solos on the coach horn and the cornet.

Al Lydell and Bob Higgins do some unusually good "rube" character work in "A Friend of Father's," Lydell being particularly clever as the old man. His character description of an off-stage party in the sentence, "I'll bet he thinks the civil war was a frame-up," comes close to approaching the ultimate in pithy brevity and fits a number of people we have all met.

Ned Norworth and company, giving what is described as an eccentric act, came close, to stopping the show, although the impression given by their work was that the act would be improved if they didn't strive quite so hard after eccentricity. Norworth, however, is a natural comedian, and his support plays up to him in good style. His comedy piano playing is the best part of the act, and he seems to play better with the lid than he does with the keyboard.

Other acts on the bill include Walter Leroy, Emily Lytton and company in "Neighbors," which is a pleasant little sketch which has been seen here before, but is well worth a repetition, and the Three Angell Sisters, a singing and dancing act that proves entirely satisfactory as an opener.

The Bray Cartoons and the Hearst-Pathe News pictures are, as always, interesting.

RALPH JONES.

Loew Vaudeville.

(At the Grand.)

The most nonsensical and laughable vaudeville skit of several weeks on the stage of Loew's Grand theater is presented there for the last half of this week by Evans Lloyd and Grace Whitehouse. Both Mr. Lloyd and Miss Whitehouse have very entertaining personalities, and their makeups are quite funny. The first half of their act is a jazz-comedy dialogue with many new and funny lines, and the act closes with a burlesque on grand opera.

Belle Montrose and Billy Allen present a clever and unusual sort of a skit, called "Her Only Chance," in which Miss Montrose takes the part of an amateur getting her first chance before the footlights, which is a good laugh-producer.

Good to look at and equally as good to listen to is Lony Nase, who is billed as "the girl with the baritone voice." She has a very remarkable voice—when she wants it to be—and she succeeded in making the audience think a man was singing just before she walked on the stage. The rest of her vocal efforts are very feminine and attractive, her song about "Uncle Sam" making quite a big hit.

The show opens with the Parise duo, who form a very effective musical combination with a clarinet and an accordion. The Demetricus-Dunham troupe, a daring serial and casting novelty, closes the show.

June Caprice scores another screen success in her new picture, "The Heart of Romance," which is the photoplay offering. Loew's Universal Current Events and comedy reels complete the picture program.

Andrew Mack.

(Coming to the Atlanta.)

Walter Sanford will present his popular star, Andrew Mack, at the Atlanta theater next Monday night for an engagement of three nights and Wednesday matinee, in the new romantic drama, "Molly Dear," by Cecil B. De Mille, the scenes of which are laid on the west coast of Ireland. The story is a strong, but a delightful one and reveals the soul of a man who is willing to sacrifice himself in the endeavor to save the brother of the girl he loves from what he considers an unjust punishment. In the role of the Irish-American secret service man, Mr. Mack is said to have found one of the happiest parts of his whole career. In it he shows himself to be a master of sentiment, a big, strong man, expressing the tenderness of real strength and bigness of heart that has inspired the eulogizing of the Irish race. There is a company of rare excellence surrounding Mr. Mack and the scenic investiture of the piece is said to be unusually handsome. Among the song numbers introduced by Mr. Mack will be two of his latest compositions, "It's a Long, Long Way to My Old Home Town," and "You, Only You That I Love." Seats are now on sale.

Norma Talmadge.

(At the Criterion.)

One of the noticeable features of "Ghosts of Yesterday," in which Norma Talmadge is appearing at the Criterion theater this week, is the sumptuousness of the many sets employed in the staging of the picture. One set, for example, which portrays the interior of the Bal Taberin in Paris, delights audiences with its sheer beauty, its expensive gorgeousness, and the life of the gay throngs in the scene. Miss Talmadge's leading man is Eugene O'Brien, who was with her in "Poppy" and "The Moth," and now enjoying a hit on Broadway in "The Country Cousin." Others in the cast include Stuart Holmes, villian of a thousand screen dramas; Ida Darling, one of the best known character women on the stage and recently with Constance Talmadge in "Scandal;" John Daly Murphy and Henry J. Hebert.

Wallace Reid.

(At the Forsyth.)

The popular young screen actor, Wallace Reid, who has played opposite Geraldine Farrar in most of her photoplays, is to be seen at the Forsyth theater today in "Rimrock Jones," his latest Paramount production, which was written for him by Harvey Thew and Frank Finnegan from the story by Dane Coolidge. The atmosphere of the entire picture is that of the wide and wholesome west and the story deals with the adventures of a prospector, Rimrock Jones, and Mary Fortune, his sweetheart. An excellent cast, including Ann Little as Mary Fortune, supports Mr. Reid, and the picture was made under the expert direction of Donald Crisp. Another big feature will be Fatty Arbuckle's great success, "Out West."

Charles Ray.

(At the Strand.)

Charles Ray appears in one of his best roles at the Strand theater this week in "The Hired Man." Here Ray is shown as a farmhand who is ambitious to secure an education, and has saved up $500 for the first year's course at an agricultural college. When the brother of the girl he loves gets in trouble, however, and is about to be arrested for juggling his accounts at the bank, where he is employed, the young hero gives his entire roll to him and goes back to the farm to start all over again. Of course in the end there comes happiness for everybody concerned.

Douglas Fairbanks.

(At the Vaudette.)

Douglas Fairbanks in "The Modern Musketeer" will be seen at the Vaudette theater today and tomorrow. This is undoubtedly the best thing that Doug has ever done. There are features galore in this picture to win the interest and hold the attention of the most blase theatergoer. It would be worth a trip to the Vaudette just to see the windstorm that strikes the Kansas town on the day that Doug is born, photoplay, but that is only one of a number of first-class features.

Today at the Movies.

STRAND—Charles Ray, in "The Hired Man."

CRITERION—Norma Talmadge, in "Ghosts of Yesterday."

FORSYTH—Wallace Reid, in "Rimrock Jones."

ALAMO NO. 2—Edna Goodrich, in "A Daughter of Maryland;" all week. Miss Louise Walker, soprano.

GRAND—June Caprice, in "The Heart of Romance."

VAUDETTE—Douglas Fairbanks, in "A Modern Musketeer."

SAVOY—Harold Lockwood, in "Under Handicap."

ALPHA—Harry Carey, in "The Phantom Rider."

CHANGE OF RATES

Effective January 15, 1918.

COST OF WANT ADS IN THE CONSTITUTION

One time .....10c a line
Three times ..... 9c a line
Seven times ..... 8c a line
Thirty times or more ... 7c
} Each issue

Advertisements under the following classifications will only be inserted when cash accompanies the order:

For Rent Rooms—Furnished or Unfurnished.
Wanted—Boarders.
Wanted—Board.
For Rent—Rooms Furnished.
For Rent—Rooms Unfurnished.
Wanted—To Rent Rooms Furnished.
Wanted—To Rent Rooms Unfurnished.
Situation Wanted—Male.
Situation Wanted—Female.

No phone orders accepted for advertisements that are to appear under "cash in advance" classifications.

Above rate for consecutive insertions only.

No advertisement accepted for less than two lines. Count six ordinary words to each line.

The Constitution will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Discontinuance of advertising must be in writing. It will not be accepted by phone. This protects your interest as well as ours.

If you can't bring or send your Want Ad, phone Main 5000 or Atlanta 5001.

Courteous operators thoroughly familiar with rates, rules and classifications, will give you complete information. And if you wish, they will assist you in wording your want ad to make it most effective.

Accounts opened for ads (excepting those classifications that are cash with order) by telephone to accommodate you if your name is in the telephone directory. Want ads taken by telephone are to be paid for immediately upon application, bill to be presented by mail or collecter the same day.

EVERY HOME HAS USE FOR CONSTITUTION WANT ADS.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST articles sometimes are never found, often they are stolen with no chance of recovery; but when picked up by honest persons they will get back to the owner if advertised in this column.

LOST.

WHITE pointer bitch with lemon markings, slight defect in both eyes; last seen in vicinity of Forrest ave. and Butler st. Return to J. K. Ottley, Fourth National bank, or call Hemlock 175-J and receive reward.

LOST—Diamond sunburst pin, set with pearls, in downtown section. $10 reward if returned to Mrs. H. B. Pinney, care Western Union branch office. Equitable bldg.

LOST—Tie clasp, initials C. to D. Return to 24 Alabama street. Reward.

LOST—Black and white cameo brooch set in diamonds and pearls. Liberal reward. Call West 1598-L.

LOST—On Fifteenth street or Piedmont Driving club, silver mesh bag. Hemlock 936.

STRAYED—Black and white pointer dog. Phone Ivy 1937, or Ivy 3856. Reward.

LOST—Large setter dog, white with liver spots, short tail. Phone Ivy 1388. Mr. Reaves.

LOST—Lavalier with one small diamond surrounded by network and one pearl on end of lavalier, between Angier ave. and Folsom's on Peachtree or Criterion theater. Phone McMurray, Ivy 1060. Reward.

LOST—Diamond and platinum bar pin in Bloom's shop sitting room, Whitehall shopping district or Peachtree car. Finder will please phone Ivy 8150 or Georgian Terrace; handsome reward.

REWARD and no questions asked for return of "Jack," black and white fox terrier; lost from 53 East Fourteenth street. Hemlock 445. Sam Weyman.

LOST—From automobile, spare tire and rim, 31x4 Goodyear case. Reward. Mr. White, Ivy 1316.

GOLD mesh bag lost Thursday afternoon; full name engraved on back. Return to 485 Peachtree st. Ivy 1412-J. Reward.

LOST—$69 between Third National bank and Jacobs' pharmacy, 6 Marietta. Call Miss Kimmons, Ivy 5972, after 6 p. m. Reward.

FOUND.

FOUND—Lady's watch. Owner giving description. Address P-819, Constitution.

FOUND—Case of butter on Washington street near Mitchell. Apply 72 Washington street. D. L. Bryan.

PERSONAL

CLAIRVOYANT & PALMIST MME. PARKS

HOW many unhappy people are there in this city whose lives are darkened by the acts of others? Is your life nearly a wreck because you cannot overcome trouble of a domestic nature or otherwise? Do you desire a return of affections rightly yours or does another receive it? Do you find the one of your choice growing cold or indifferent, or does another take your place? Is there an interference of someone? If so call on Mme. Parks. She will show you how to face the problems of life. You leave her parlors a different being. No. 10 Essie avenue. Take Soldiers' Home car, get off at Essie avenue. Hours, 10 a. m. to 7 p. m.

CLAIRVOYANT—PALMIST MADAME MALONE

GUARANTEES to read your entire life, telling you anything you want to know and find out, no matter what. One visit will pay you for disappointments in others. She is gifted and can help you. Tells name, age and occupation and what step to take to better yourself. Explains love and family affairs. Reading daily 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. 506 Lakewood avenue. Take Lakewood car to Owens.

MOTORMEN and conductors stay away from Atlanta. Strike is still on. G. A. Brawn, Secretary Local No. 732, 73 Walthall street.

ATTENTION—OFFICERS' WIVES! IN this select school we teach you how to make your dresses, suits, etc. New Era Sewing School, 20 Carnegie Way.

MATERNITY Sanitarium, private, refined, homelike. Homes provided infants. Infants for adoption. Mrs. Mitchell, 33 Windsor St.

Use Constitution Want Ads

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED—Male

MEN, learn barbering quickly, lighter work, better pay, more jobs; earn while learning. Call or write Moler Barber College, 61 N. Forsyth street, Atlanta, Ga.

MEN—We give course, No. 1 set of tools, paying position in our chain of shops, for $25.50. Atlanta Barber College, 21 S. Pryor.

WANTED—News agent on trains, Crescent News, 34 E. Hunter.

WANTED—Men, any age, who can furnish $200 cash and satisfactory references; to handle proposition in training camp, now making $50 to $75 weekly net profit. If you mean business call Ivy 1678, ask for Mr. Sweeney.

WANTED—Three first-class job printers; one linotype operator; also capable working foreman in composing room of two linotype machines. Blosser-Williams Co.

ONE pantsmaker wanted, white or colored, by A. J. Lindborg, Merchant Tailor, Athens, Ga.

A FIRST-CLASS, experienced shipping clerk, who can furnish A-1 references; opportunity for advancement to capable man. Address P-805, care Constitution.

LEARN BY MAIL bookkeeping, shorthand, penmanship, arithmetic, English, business letter writing. Big demand by the government and business men. Day and night sessions. For information about course at college or by mail address Box 33, Draughon's College, Atlanta, Ga.

WANTED—Young man office assistant; splendid chance for advancement. Call at once. Atlanta Casket Co., 194 Elliott.

AMUSEMENTS

ATLANTA THEATER
Tonight Tomorrow Mat. & Night
The Funniest Play in the Whole World
TWIN BEDS
COMING
3 NIGHTS AND WED. MAT. FEB. 11-12-13
WALTER SANFORD Presents the Famous Irish Actor and Singer,
ANDREW MACK
In the New Romantic Drama,
"Molly Dear"
By CECIL B. DeMILLE
A Delightful Story of Ireland and the Present Day.
The Best Irish Play of the Century.
HEAR MACK'S NEW SONGS
A Splendid Acting Company
Beautiful Stage Settings
PRICES: NIGHTS, 50c to $1.50 MATINEE, 25c to $1.00
SEATS NOW ON SALE

LOEW'S GRAND
Continuous.....1 to 11 P. M.
Vaudeville.....3:30, 7 & 9 P. M.
Afternoons 10, 15c; Nights 10, 20, 30c
LLOYD & WHITEHOUSE
In Gloom-Dispelling Comedy Skit
5--BIG LOEW ACTS--5
June Caprice, In "Heart of Romance"

THE POPULAR THEATER OF ALL ATLANTA
B. F. KEITH VAUDEVILLE LYRIC TODAY 2:30-7:30-9:15 10 - 20 - 30 Cts.
LEROY-LYTTON COMPANY
LYDELL & HIGGINS—MARGARET EDWARDS
3 ANGELL SISTERS—NED NORWORTH
COMING—BERT LESLIE & CO.

THE CRITERION
TODAY
NORMA TALMADGE
STUART HOLMES AND EUGENE O'BRIEN
—in—
"THE GHOSTS OF YESTERDAY"
BY RUPERT HUGHS
NEXT WEEK DRAFT---258

Forsyth 11 to 11 O'Clock Adults, 15 Cents Children, 10 Cents
WALLACE REID
—AND—
FATTY ARBUCKLE
In two great plays

Strand REGULAR SHOWINGS Adults, 15c; Children, 10c
A story worth while
CHARLES RAY
—IN—
"The Hired Man"

Vaudette USUAL EXHIBITIONS Adults, 10c; Children, 5c
His very best play
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS
—IN—
"The Modern Musketeer"

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT For the Six months Ending December 31, 1917, of the condition of the

National Life Association

Organized under the laws of the State of Iowa, made to the Governor of the State of Georgia, pursuant to the laws of said State.

Principal Office—Des Moines, Iowa.

I. INCOME DURING SECOND SIX MONTHS OF 1917.
Gross amount paid by members to the association or its agents without deductions for commissions or other expenses, as follows:

1. Membership fee	$ 69,396.95	
3. Assessments	275,994.61	
Total paid by members		$345,391.60
5. Interest		21,774.52
6. Rents	275.62	
All other income	2,799.69	
Total	$24,849.83	
Total		$ 370,241.43

II. DISBURSEMENTS DURING SECOND SIX MONTHS, 1917.

1. Losses and Claims (See detailed schedule filed with Annual Statement in office of Insurance Commissioner brought down to December 31, 1917)	$ 97,507.98	
2. Annual Payments and Assessments returned to members	16,116.56	
Total paid to members	113,624.54	
3. Commissions and Fees retained by or paid to Agents	60,670.46	
5. Salaries and Traveling Expenses of Managers of Agencies and General, Special and Local Agents	5,201.21	
6. Medical Examiner's Fees, whether paid direct by members or otherwise	2,923.50	
7. Salaries and other compensation of Officers and other Office Employees	18,901.45	
8. Rent, $1,575.00; Taxes, $1,745.81	3,320.81	
10. Advertising, Blanks and Printing	4,350.19	
All other disbursements	65,873.57	
Total Expenses, footings of items, 3 to 11	$161,241.19	
Total Disbursements		274,865.73
Balances		$ 95,375.70

III. INVESTED ASSETS.
(Where held as a Reserve Fund, state the facts specifically.)

1. Cost value of Real Estate in cash, exclusive of all incumbrances, as per Schedule C filed with Annual Statement in office of Insurance Commissioner brought down to December 31, 1917	$ 48,666.64	
2. Loans on Bond and Mortgage (first liens) on Real Estate, as per Schedule A filed with Annual Statement in office of Insurance Commissioner, brought down to December 31, 1917	712,060.00	
5. Cost value of Bonds and Stocks owned absolutely, as per Schedule D, filed with Annual Statement in office of Insurance Commissioner, brought down to December 31, 1917	50,500.00	
6. Cash in Office	2,428.31	
7. Cash deposited in Banks on Reserve Fund Account	98,965.42	
Depository Bank balances	5,190.00	
8. Agent's Balances	10,720.09	
Total	$928,530.46	
Total Net Assets		$928,530.46

IV. CONTINGENT ASSETS.

1. Interest due, $3,923.50, and accrued $21,545.16	$ 25,468.66
3. Market value of Real Estate over cost, as per Schedule C filed with Annual Statement in Office of Insurance Commissioner, brought down to December 31, 1917	16,233.36
6. Mortuary assessments due and unpaid on membership in force	$ 87,510.35
7. Reserve obligations not yet due	516,923.12
10. Total dues from members	$604,433.47
2. Net amount due from members	604,433.47
3. All other assets viz: Bills Receivable	2,600.00
Total	648,735.49
Total Assets	$1,577,265.95

V. LIABILITIES.

1. Losses due and unpaid	None
2. Losses in process of adjustment, or adjusted and not due (Number of Claims 13)	$ 34,000.00
4. Losses resisted by the company. (Number of claims, none.)	
5. National, State or other Taxes due, estimated	7,000.00
6. For Salaries, Rents and Office Expenses	2,735.09
9. Amount of all other Liability, viz:	
Commissions due agents	1,259.76
Advanced interest and premiums, total	5,411.64
Total Liabilities	$50,406.49

VI. EXHIBIT OF CERTIFICATES OF POLICIES—NUMBER AND AMOUNT.

Total Business Last Half of 1917.

	Number.	Amount.
Policies or Certificates in force July 1, 1917	18,571	$36,861,000
Policies or Certificates written during 2d half of the year 1917	2,168	4,619,500
Total	20,739	41,480,500
Deduct number and amount which have ceased to be in force during second half of 1917	1,129	2,452,500
Total Policies or Certificates in force December 31, 1917	19,610	39,028,000
Losses and Claims on policies or certificates unpaid July 1, 1917	8	15,000
Losses and claims on policies or certificates incurred during second half of the year 1917	62	116,000
Total	70	131,000
Losses and claims on policies or certificates paid during second half of the year 1917	57	97,000

Business in Georgia During Last Half of 1917.

	Number.	Amount.
Policies or Certificates in force July 1, 1917	57	$ 144,500
Polices or Certificates revived during second half of the year 1917	4	9,000
Total	61	153,500
Deduct number and amount which have ceased to be in force during second half of 1917	5	7,500
Total Policies in force December 31, 1917	56	146,000

A copy of the Act of Incorporation, durly certified, is attached to the Annual Statement in the office of the Insurance Commissioner.

STATE OF IOWA, County of Polk—Personally appeared before the undersigned, A. W. Layman, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Secretary of National Life Association, and that the foregoing statement is correct and true.

A. W. LAYMAN.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this fourth day of February, 1918.
(Seal.) TESSA M. DOUGLASS,
Notary Public, Polk County, Iowa.

USE CONSTITUTION WANT ADS FOR RESULTS

THAT SON-IN-LAW OF PA'S

Pa's Roll Is Safe if Cedric Doesn't Get There First : : : : BY WELLINGTON



HELP WANTED—Male

YOUNG MAN, FAMILIAR WITH BUYING AND SELLING BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, GOOD OPENING. ADVANCEMENT. APPLY IN PERSON OR WRITE BOYS' DEPT., CARE J. M. HIGH CO.

WANTED—Boys with wheels to work as messengers. Pay good and work educational and pleasant. Apply early. Postal Telegraph and Cable Company, 40 North Broad street.

WANTED—2 Filipino, Japanese or Chinese boys; easy work. Good wages. Write at once, inclosing references. The Tea Shop in the Arcade, Columbia, S. C.

TWO office boys; must be wide-awake. United States Tire Company, 495 Peachtree street.

TWO young men as news agents on railroad trains; good pay to workers. Union News Co., 26 Madison ave.

MY letters sell goods. Have you any to sell? Business producer. Address P-825, care Constitution.

WANTED—Young man in shipping department, one who writes good hand. Apply 70 Madison avenue.

WANTED—COLORED BOYS TO DELIVER PACKAGES AND RUN ERRANDS. APPLY TO MR. BROWNLEE, FOOTE & DAVIES CO., FRIDAY MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK, COR. PRYOR AND EDGEWOOD.

WANTED—First-class bushelman. Sam Asher & Brothers, 10 Peachtree st.

EXPERIENCED YOUNG MAN STENO. NOT SUBJECT TO DRAFT. $18 PER WEEK. 1018 ATL. NAT'L BANK BLDG.

WANTED—An experienced shoe salesman, local man preferred; only experienced need apply. 62 Peachtree, Globe Shoe Co.

YOUTH, 18 to 20, for general office work. Bellamy Business Agency, 1226 Candler building.

WANTED—Reliable watchmaker at once. Phone Hemlock 1874.

HELP WANTED—Female

WHITE MAID—Good position in home; room on place, for white maid who can do children's plain mending, care for one floor and sleep on place. Must be unincumbered and with good recommendations. Apply advertising window, business office The Constitution.

SALESLADIES—Experienced, for high class ready-to-wear shop. Apply Bloom's Smart Shop, Connelly building.

STENOGRAPHER—Young lady, easy and pleasant position, $10 per week, with immediate advancement if capable and of good judgment. Address Box P-100, Constitution.

GIRL WANTED—To do house work permanently. Apply at once, 220 Ponce de Leon, Deerfield Apt. 1.

WOMEN WANTED IMMEDIATELY. Thousands government war positions open, $100 month. List free. Write Franklin Institute, Dept. 601-M, Rochester, N. Y.

FIRST-CLASS, experienced stenographer; must be fast, accurate and capable; assuming responsibility. Prefer young married woman or girl with dependents. Excellent salary, good hours and pleasant working conditions. Address P-823, Constitution.

WANTED — SKIRT OPERATORS; CAN ALSO USE A FEW INEXPERIENCED. READY TO WEAR MANUFACTURING CO., 59½ E. ALA. ST.

MAID WANTED—White or colored; must be well recommended and willing to sleep on place; good position for right person. Apply elevator man Constitution, who will refer to party wanting.

WANTED—First-class operators; must be reliable and steady. De Luxe Beauty Parlors, 517½ Cherry St., Macon, Ga.

YOUNG woman to do office clerical work; penmanship must be good. Answer in own handwriting, state age. Address P-822, Constitution.

COLORED woman, wants small washing on lot or at home. P-826, care Constitution.

WOMAN for clerical work, one who can write and figure rapidly; salary while learning $9 weekly. P. O. Box 1402.

WANTED—Servant girl to assist in house work or to look after two children, ages 4 and 5; must live on premises; light work. Apply Mrs. Fields, 189 St. Charles ave.

WANTED—Lady to do stenographic and light office work. State experience. Give references and minimum salary would work for. Address P-824, care Constitution.

MATRON WANTED

LARGE manufacturing plant in industrial village near Atlanta has near completion two large inns to be operated as high-class boarding houses for employees—one for girls exclusively and one for couples and single men. Steam heat, hot and cold water every room. All furnishings and conveniences modern and complete. Matron wanted for each inn. Must have good disposition, as well as initiative and executive ability. Good salary, private room and bath. Ideal situation. Inn, care Constitution.

RAPID typewriter operator, also stenographer, $3 per day. Bellamy Business Agency, 1226 Candler bldg.

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED — OPERATORS, EXPERIENCED ON MONROE CALCULATING MACHINE. GOOD SALARY. GIVE TELEPHONE NUMBER. ADDRESS P-811, CONSTITUTION.

OFFICE MAN, stenographer, cook, maid, nurse, presser, chauffeur, butler. 704 Silvey bldg.

COMPETENT, experienced bill clerk, $65. Bellamy Business Agency, 1226 Candler building.

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—A few good families of spinners and spoolers for our Payne Mill. Best of wages paid; cheap house rent in our own village. Address W. R. Moody, Supt., Crumps Park, Macon, Georgia.

WANTED—FOR THE NEW PORTERDALE MILL, SPINNERS, SPOOLERS, DOFFERS, CARD ROOM HELP. ADDRESS W. A. WOODRUFF, SUPERINTENDENT, BIBB MFG. CO., PORTERDALE, GA.

SALESMEN AND SOLICITORS

SALESMAN — SPECIALTY SALESMAN, HIGH POWERED, successful man, who values his time at $5,000 to $10,000 per year, as representative for a well-established and successful Chicago corporation. We have entirely new service for manufacturers and wholesalers, which possesses unusual salient features and which is backed by overwhelming indorsement from leading concerns throughout the country—our men are now making from $100 to $260 per week and we are here to connect with the right man for this territory. Telephone appointment will be arranged with those who answer this advertisement, giving definite information as to past record and qualifications and where they can be reached by phone or letter on or after Monday. This is a straight commission proposition; a very unusual one, on which a clean, high-grade specialty man, who is accustomed to handling big people, can make as high as $25,000 a year. Address P-711, Constitution.

WANTED—Man between the age of 27 and 35, who has had experience as automobile salesman. Must not be subject to draft. Good salary to begin with and excellent prospects for advancement. Apply by letter. Box P-538 care Constitution.

WANTED — Roofing and paint salesmen states of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Florida. Write Dixie Roofing and Paint Company, Birmingham, Ala., Box 403.

CAPABLE unlisted securities salesman, knowledge Atlanta territory. None other need apply. Exceptional proposition. Interview only. Address P-828, Constitution.

BUSINESS AGENT

FOR COLORED HAIRDRESSERS are making the biggest money. I teach you how. Have an easy payment plan. No-Break School of Hairdressing, 465 W. Hunter st. Main 2203.

SITUATION WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—Male

WANTED—About three hours night work by young man experienced in cost-keeping, typewriting and bookkeeping. Address P-809, care Constitution.

YOUNG MAN, 26, exempt from draft, general office work or assistant bookkeeper. Address P-804, Constitution.

WANTED—Superintendency of farm; stock preferred; permanent home. Address P-719, care Constitution.

MIDDLE-AGED, vigorous man, who has had business training, a fairly competent clerical man, handy with steamfitting or other tools; experienced florist and gardener—in fact, a sober, energetic man who can look after any business that requires practical, common sense, wants position. Not afraid to tackle anything that offers reasonable living, and sure of his ability to give satisfaction. Can't you use me? Best of references as to character, ability, etc. Box 813, Constitution.

POSITION as salesman, commission basis; can produce results; married; references furnished. Address P-814, Constitution.

AN experienced middle-aged office man would like employment from 8 to 1 o'clock. Can keep books; accurate and careful. Address R-411, Chamber of Commerce.

EXPERIENCED railroad traffic man desires position enabling him to remain in Atlanta. Address P-819, Constitution.

WANTED—Position as accountant or office manager; thorough business experience. Address S. C. 99 care Constitution.

COMPETENT male stenographer desires position; not afraid of work; married and not subject to draft. Address P-817, Const.

CASHIER-BOOKKEEPER—Heavy place at present, desires change; good reasons, thoroughly experienced from typewriter to higher accounting. M. P. C., Constitution.

BRIGHT boy, 17, just out of Tech High, wants a job. P. O. Box 369, Atlanta.

SITUATION WANTED—Female

LADY experienced in general office work desires position. W. 584-L.

REFINED widow desires position or housekeeper, institution, hotel or widower's home. Best ref. F. W., P. O. Box 1275.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined, capable woman, widow of professional man; splendid housekeeper, would like position as companion or housekeeper in nice home, hotel or institution. Address P-812, Const.

WANTED—Position by experienced dictaphone operator. Address P-815, Const.

COLLEGE graduate, ambitious, industrious, wants clerical work; preferably for the mornings. Ivy 2572-J.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR REAL business opportunities see Lightfoot's, Peters Bldg. Phone Main 517.

WANTED—Have you a good lot or vacant building, suitable for a hosiery mill? Prefer town to large city. Electric power. We organize, build or equip and operate textile plants. We also buy or sell any good manufacturing location. Cook & Co., Gastonia, N. C.

31-ROOM BRICK HOTEL, splendid south Georgia city of 4,000 people. This is biggest bargain we have offered in a long time and should sell in twenty-four hours. This hotel is filled with people and making money. Price, $500 cash. Wire for particulars, if you mean business. LIGHTFOOT'S, 317-18 Peters Bldg. M. 517.

WILL trade unencumbered Atlanta real estate for stock general merchandise, anywhere in Georgia, Alabama or Mississippi. G. A. R., Box P-553, care Constitution.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WANTED—Capital to promote company to develop processes for making wood alcohol, etc. Government erecting $2,000,000 plant for similar purpose. W. B. Harper, Chemist Atl. Gas Light Co., 38 Thurmond street.

MONEY

MONEY TO LOAN

SALARIES BOUGHT. Salary Inv. Co., 204 McKenzie bldg. Ivy 1076.

LOANS $25.00 AND UP WITHOUT REAL ESTATE SECURITY. Wight Investment Co., 1111 Empire Bldg.

MONEY FOR SALARIED PEOPLE AND OTHERS upon their own names; cheap rates, easy payments, confidential. Scott & Co., 820 Austell building.

MONEY FOR ALL. EASY PAYMENTS. DEPARTMENT FOR LADIES. HUDSON & CO., 313-314 PETERS BLDG. MAIN 4843.

LOANS MADE TO salaried men and others in amounts of $25 to $200 on indorsements or other security. E. W. Greenway & Co., 316-317 Empire Bldg. Tel. Ivy 1654.

MONEY—On Personal Property

W. P. WOLL LOANS $25 AND UP on household furniture and pianos without removal. Payments to suit your income. ROOMS 401-2 PETERS BLDG. Phones: Main 3771. Atlanta 677.

MONEY—On Real Estate

$25,000 ON HAND for first mortgage in amounts of $1,000 and up. W. O. ALSTON 1204 Third National Bank Bldg.

WE BUY PURCHASE MONEY NOTES EISEMAN & WEIL INVESTMENT CO. 313 Atlanta National Bank Building. Bell Phone Main 3010.

Cliff C. Hatcher Insurance Agency LOAN AGENTS for Investors' Savings Company, first and second mortgages on city real estate, payable monthly. See Rex B. Mooney, 221 Grant building.

MONEY FOR MORTGAGES

IF YOU have good real estate, city, suburban, or farm, to offer as security, let us have your application. FULTON INVESTMENT CO. Green, Tilson & McKinney ATTORNEYS. 1701-1710 HURT BUILDING.

FARM MONEY. Special rate for farms and city property. S. W. CARSON, 414 EMPIRE BLDG.

FUNDS on hand for loan and purchase money notes. A. F. Liebman, 17 Walton street. Real Estate and Renting.

MONEY

TO LEND, first or second mortgages, on city real estate. Current rates. Immediate action. J. S. Slicer, 1216 Empire Bldg. I. 8369.

MONEY to loan on Atlanta real estate in sums of $500 and over. Thos. J. Wesley, Cashier, 209 Grant building.

SEE B. G. STATHAM, 522-3 Candler building, Atlanta, before placing your loan on farm and city property; no commission char'd.

MONEY TO LOAN.

AT 5, 6 and 7 per cent, city improved property. Established 27 years. Prompt and confidential attention. TURMAN & CALHOUN, EMPIRE BLDG

ANY AMOUNT on hand—real estate loans. A. J. & H. F. West, 218 Atl. Natl. Bk. Bldg.

LONG TIME LOANS AT LOW RATES. On Improved Farms, Residential and business property. Inspectors at Atlanta, Macon, Columbus and various points. Quick Action. Write for Application. Mortgage Loan Department. PAN-AMERICAN LIFE INS. CO. 1305 Whitney Bldg., New Orleans, La.

DIRECT connections for making city and farm loans. W. B. Smith, 706 Fourth National Bank bldg.

$500, $700, $1,000, $1,500, $2,000 or more to lend on choice city or suburban real estate. Dunson & Gay. Ivy 5678.

5, 6, 7 AND 8 PER CENT money to lend on real estate, five years or less; interest payable semi-annually; splendid paying-back privileges. Brown-Foster Realty Company, 210 Flatiron bldg.

LOANS on city or farm property. M. R. McClatchey, Candler bldg.

$5,000 TO LOAN at 6 per cent first mortgage on Atlanta real estate. Phone Ivy 2337.

FIRST and second mortgage loans. A. G. Smith, Connally Bldg. Main 2940.

PURCHASE MONEY NOTES

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RAILROAD SCHEDULES

The arrival and departure of passenger trains Atlanta.

The following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

Atlanta Terminal Station.

*Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only.

Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic.
Effective June 25.

	Arrive.	Leave.
Waycross and Thomasville	6:00 am	7:45 am
Waycross and Thomasville	4:25 pm	11:00 pm

Sleeping cars on night trains between Atlanta and Thomasville, Atlanta and Waycross. City ticket office, 88 Peachtree. Telephones—Ivy 2845; Atlanta 100.

Atlanta and West Point Railroad Company.

No.	Arrive From—	No.	Depart To—
42	West Pt.. 8:35 am	35	New Or... 5:50 am
18	Columb's 10:55 am	19	Columbus 7:10 am
38	New Or. 11:45 am	33	Montgo'y. 8:55 am
40	New Or. 2:15 pm	39	New Or... 2:00 pm
34	Montgo'y. 7:00 pm	17	Columbus. 4:05 pm
20	Columbus 7:55 pm	41	New Or.. 6:50 pm
36	New Or. 12:05 am	41	West Pt.. 5:45 pm

City Ticket Office, 80 Peachtree St.

Central of Georgia Railway. "The Right Way."

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
Savannah...	6:25 am	Savannah...	8:00 am
Thomasville.	6:25 am	Albany.....	8:00 am
Albany.....	6:25 am	Macon.....	12:30 pm
Macon.....	6:25 am	Macon.....	4:00 pm
Jacksonville.	6:53 am	Jacksonville.	8:25 pm
Jacksonville.	7:40 am	Valdosta....	8:35 pm
Macon.....	10:45 am	Savannah...	10:10 pm
Macon.....	1:55 pm	Jacksonville	10:05 pm
Savannah...	4:20 pm	Thomasville	11:30 pm
Albany.....	8:15 pm	Albany.....	11:30 pm

City ticket office, Fourth National Bank building, Peachtree and Marietta streets. Telephones—Ivy 141; Atlanta phone 55.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM.

Arrives From—		Departs For—	Arrives From—		Departs For—
5:30 a	New York	12:30 a	12:40 p	New York	2:45 p
11:10 p	Chicago	6:35 a	8:25 p	Chatta.	3:00 p
9:55 p	Kan. City	6:10 a	8:10 a	Toccoa	4:45 p
10:35 a	Chatta.	6:50 a	11:40 a	Cincinnati	5:35 p
1:40 p	Richmond	6:30 a	10:55 a	Columbus	5:10 p
10:10 p	Columbus	7:20 a	11:15 a	Memphis	5:15 p
7:50 p	Bruns'k	7:50 a	10:50 a	Ft. Valley	5:20 p
6:15 p	New York	12:00 n	10:30 a	Macon	5:30 p
5:40 p	Charlotte	6:30 a	8:45 a	Jaxville	10:05 p
5:10 p	Jaxville	11:50 a	7:25 a	Charlotte	10:40 p
2:30 p	Bir'ham	1:55 p	6:25 a	Jaxville	11:20 p
9:00 p	Greenville	12:15 p	7:45 a	Shreve't	11:30 p

Seaboard Air Line Railway Company. "The Progressive Railway of the South."
Effective January 13, 1918.

No.	Arrive From—	No.	Depart To—
11	N. Y..... 7:00 am	11	Birmin'm. 6:30 am
11	Norfolk... 7:00 am	30	Monroe... 6:40 am
11	Washin'n. 7:00 am	6	N. Y.... 12:15 pm
11	Portsm'h. 7:00 am	6	Washi'n. 12:15 pm
17	Abbe,S.C. 8:50 am	6	Norfolk. 12:15 pm
6	Memphis 11:59 am	6	Portsm'h 12:15 pm
6	Birmi'm. 11:59 am	6	Richm'd. 12:15 pm
22	Pied't,Ala 10:00 am	23	Pied't,Ala. 2:50 pm
5	N. Y..... 4:20 pm	5	Birmin'm. 4:30 pm
5	Washi'n.. 4:20 pm	5	Memphis.. 4:30 pm
5	Norfolk... 4:20 pm	16	Abbe,S.C. 4:00 pm
5	Portsm'h. 4:20 pm	12	N. Y..... 8:20 pm
12	Birmin'm. 9:00 pm	12	Norfolk... 8:20 pm
29	Monroe... 8:05 pm	12	Portsm'h. 8:20 pm

City Ticket Office, 88 Peachtree St. Telephone—Ivy 2845.

Union Passenger Station.

Georgia Railroad.
*Daily Except Sunday.

No.	Arrive From—	No.	Depart To—
3	Charles'n 7:00 am	2	Augusta and East.... 6:45 am
3	Wilmin'n 7:00 am	6	Augusta 11:45 am
*11	Conyers. 7:35 am	2	Augusta 3:25 pm
*13	Union Pt. 9:40 am	*14	Union Pt. 6:10 pm
1	Augusta. 1:15 pm	4	Charles'n 8:10 pm
5	Augusta and East. 5:00 pm	4	Wilmin'n 8:10 pm
7	New York and Aug. 8:20 pm		

Louisville and Nashville Railroad.

Effective Nov. 21—	Leave.	Arrive.
Cincinnati-Louisville....	7:18 am	9:55 pm
Chicago and Northwest		
Cincinnati and Louisville..	4:45 pm	11:45 am
Knoxville via Blue Ridge..	7:35 am	5:10 pm
Knoxville via Cartersville..	7:18 am	9:55 pm
Knoxville via Cartersville..	4:45 pm	11:45 am
Blue Ridge accommodation..	3:40 pm	10:35 am

The 9:55 p. m. train will arrive Terminal Station.

Western and Atlantic Railroad.

No.	Arrive From—	No.	Depart To—
3	Nashville. 7:15 am	94	Chicago.. 8:15 am
5	Chattanooga and Rome 10:25 am	2	Nashville. 8:30 am
1	Nashville. 7:05 pm	6	Rome and Chattan'a 5:25 pm
95	Chicago.. 8:05 pm	4	Nashville. 3:50 pm

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FOR SALE—One coffee roaster and grinder, also one peanut butter machine. Mr. Osborne, 147 South Pryor street.

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BOY SCOUTS WILL HOLD CELEBRATION TONIGHT

Brigadier General W. P. Burnham Will Be Present and Deliver Service Ribbons.

Fathers and mothers of Atlanta Boy Scouts and their friends will attend the big celebration to be held at the Auditorium tonight to commemorate the eighth anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America. A feature of the program will be a series of demonstrations by members of the twenty-four troops in Atlanta, such as signalling, knot-tying, tent pitching, first aid and wireless. Two of the troops will erect a human signalling tower and send messages written by persons in the audience.

Dr. C. B. Wilmer will make an address on "The Spirit of Scouting." Brigadier General W. P. Burnham, of Camp Gordon, has consented to be present and deliver service ribbons to several Atlanta Boy Scouts for their work done in the coal relief, war savings stamps, Red Cross and other campaigns during the past two months. Mrs. W. C. Jarnigan will read "The Boy Scout," a new poem.

The program will be concluded with a four-reel moving picture entitled "The Knights of the Square Table," based on scout work and showing many interesting phases of scout activity. Mell R. Wilkinson, president of the Atlanta Scout council, will preside.

The scouts say everything is ready fo rthe Saturday's campaign for one hundred Atlanta men to become leaders of troops of scouts to be organized in the city.

Mr. Wilkinson announced Thursday afternoon the appointment of the members of the executive committee as follows: Fred J. Paxon, chairman; A. S. Adams, Ivan E. Allen, E. H. Cone, H. P. Hermance, C. B. Heward, V. H. Krieghshaber and officers of the council, who are: President, Mell R. Wilkinson; vice presidents, Harrison Jones, R. C. Darby, C. D. McKinney, W. O. Foote, Rev. Ashby Jones; secretary, Fred P. Jeter; treasurer, E. W. Ramspeck; scout commissioner, Bayne Gibson; deputy scout commissioner, George E. Watts. The finance committee consists of Henry Schaul, chairman; W. W. Orr and J. M. Van Harlingen.

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GEORGIA, Fulton County—

To the Creditors of the Piedmont Portland Cement Company: All persons having claims as creditors against the Piedmont Portland Cement Company are hereby notified, pursuant to an order of the court granted on the 7th day of February, 1918, in the case of Quinn Callaway et al. vs. said Company, pending in the superior court of Fulton county, that they must file with the undersigned as receivers of said company within thirty (30) days from the 7th day of February, 1918, itemized statements verified under oath of their claims of indebtedness, otherwise they will forever be debarred from all right or rights under the decree or orders of the court in said case and from sharing in the distribution of the moneys or assets of said company in the hands of the receivers, or from claiming or asserting any right or rights against the receivers.

J. H. DAVIS,
C. H. COSGROVE,
A. A. CAMP,
Receivers for Piedmont Portland Cement Company.

GEORGIA, Fulton County:

To the Superior Court of Said County:

The petition of CHAS. J. JONES, ARTHUR TUFTS and A. B. WARE, each residents of this county, respectfully shows:

1. They desire for themselves, their successors and assigns, to be incorporated under the name of

HEC MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

for twenty (20) years, with usual privilege of renewal.

2. The principal office of said corporation will be in the City of Atlanta, State and County aforesaid, with the privilege desired of opening branch offices either within or without the State.

3. The object of said corporation is pecuniary gain.

4. The particular business to be carried on is

(a) Manufacture and sale of ranges, refrigerators, urns, copper and brass goods and other articles of every kind appertaining to the hotel trade or the general mercantile business;

(b) The purchase and sale of real estate, stocks, bonds, and such other property as may be found by the corporation desirable or profitable.

5. The capital stock of said corporation will be Twenty-Five Hundred ($2,500) Dollars, divided into shares of One Hundred ($100) dollars each, but petitioners pray that the corporation shall have a right to increase the same from time to time to a sum not exceeding Fifty Thousand ($50,000) Dollars, the increase to be either in common or preferred stock, as a majority of stockholders may determine. A majority of stockholders shall have the privilege of reducing capital stock to a sum not less than Two Thousand Five Hundred ($2,500) Dollars upon proper notice. The minimum capital stock has been subscribed and will be paid in before the company begins business. The stock may be paid for in cash or in property at a fair valuation.

6. They desire that there be conferred upon them all other usual privileges, powers and immunities common to corporations of this character.

LITTLE, POWELL, SMITH & GOLDSTEIN,
Petitioners' Attorneys.

STATE OF GEORGIA, County of Fulton—

I, ARNOLD BROYLES, Clerk of the Superior Court of Fulton County, Georgia, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the application for charter in the matter of Hec Manufacturing Company, as the same appears of file in this office.

Witness my official signature and the seal of said court, this, the 31st day of January, 1918.

ARNOLD BROYLES,
Clerk Superior Court, Fulton County, Ga.
(Seal.)

FUNERAL SERVICES OF C. E. CAVERLY TO BE HELD TODAY

Funeral services for Charles E. Caverly, former Atlanta business man who committed suicide in a local hotel last Tuesday, will be held from the residence of John L. Tye, 740 Peachtree street, at 11 o'clock this morning. Rev. R. O. Flinn will conduct the services. Interment will be in West View cemetery.

Owing to the fact that Mrs. Caverly was in New York at the time of Mr. Caverly's death, and only arrived in this city on Thursday afternoon, announcement of the funeral arrangements could not be made earlier.

The following gentlemen will act as pallbearers and will meet at the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son at 10 o'clock: Sheppard Bryan, Louis H. Beck, Frank Ellis, Charles Sciple, T. B. Paine and C. B. Derby.

CLAUSSEN TICKET SALE WILL BEGIN SATURDAY

Seats for Mme. Julia Claussen's concert Monday night, the second of the Music Study club's civic concert series at the Auditorium, will go on sale at the Cable Piano company Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mme. Claussen comes as an attraction to fill the engagement originally made for Mme. Julia Culp, who, because of war conditions, has not come to America for her annual tour this year.

She is considered the premier mezzo-soprano on the American concert stage at the present time, and her coming is anticipated with unusual interest by Atlanta music lovers.

Season ticket holders are requested to use ticket No. 4 instead of ticket No. 2 for this concert.

GRAVES NOT ON BOARD ILL-FATED TRANSPORT

Many people in Georgia were relieved to hear that a native Georgian, Lieutenant Colonel Henry S. Graves, second in command of the Twentieth Engineers regiment, was not on board the Tuscania when that transport was sunk by a U-boat. Although a considerable portion of that regiment was on the vessel, Colonel Graves was not with them.

Colonel Graves has many friends throughout the state who are thankful that he escaped this experience.

NEGRO BOY LEAVES FLOUR ON TROLLEY AND MAKES ESCAPE

While coming into the city on an Irwin street car early Thursday night, J. M. Jarmon and W. L. Smith, special agents for the W. & A. railroad, noticed a small negro boy on the car with five six-pound boxes of flour, and began to question him as to where he had gotten so much flour without meal or some other cereal.

The little negro failed to give a coherent explanation as to where he had obtained the flour and showed signs of becoming panicky. At the first stop after being questioned he jumped from the car at Piedmont avenue and fled, leaving his flour behind. The conductor said the same boy had boarded his car Wednesday night carrying two 24-pound sacks of flour.

The abandoned packages were taken in charge by W. L. Smith and are now at his place, 118 West Peachtree street, awaiting the rightful owner.

Governor and People Are Urged to Give Aid In Boy Scout Campaign

Governor Hugh M. Dorsey on Thursday received a telegram from James E. West, of New York, head of the National Boy Scout campaign, asking the governor and the people of Georgia to lend their co-operation in the nation-wide campaign of the week of February 8 to 2 for men and money for the scouts.

The telegram is as follows:

"The federal government has recognized the Boy Scouts of America as a vital war service agency. Repeated appeals for services of Boy Scouts have already been received from President Wilson, Secretary McAdoo and other federal departments. The effectiveness of our war work activities with our present comparatively small organization places upon us the patriotic duty to further increase this resource for the government at the earliest possible moment. We will, therefore, inaugurate a national campaign for men and money during 'anniversary week,' February 8 to 12, with indorsement of President Wilson, Secretaries Baker, McAdoo, Daniels and Houston.

"Will you as the chief executive of your state call upon your citizens to aid this campaign of the Boy Scouts of America, in accordance with President Wilson's published appeal and give your support the widest publication in the press of your state.

"This will greatly encourage the officers of the Boy Scout movement in their efforts to enlist services of others on behalf of the boys of your state.

(Signed) "JAMES E. WEST."

Cake Contests to Aid Colored Kindergartens Scheduled for Today

The Gate City Free Kindergarten association in its efforts to raise sufficient funds to keep open the five schools in different parts of the city for the unfortunate children of the colored race, is appealing to the public for help. More than $150 per month must be raised for current expenses. During the present winter it has been unusually hard upon this organization to keep things going.

This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock a cake contest will be held at Atlanta University, for the same purpose—to help the Kindergarten association in its work. First, second and third prizes will be given for the best chocolate layer, lemon cheese, cocoanut layer and war cake. Competent judges will decide the contest.

MANY GERMAN PRISONERS HERE FROM PHILIPPINES

An Atlantic Port, February 7.—Several hundred German prisoners from the Philippines have arrived here by sea, en route to Hot Springs, N. C., for safe keeping at the detention camp, where the population will be increased to about 2,000 by the additon of these men.

ATLANTA COMPANY CLOSED BY SOULE

Stephenson Flour Co.'s License Suspended for 30 Days Following Charges of Violation of Food Control Act.

Dr. Andrew M. Soule, federal food administrator for Georgia, Thursday night issued the first order closing a business enterprise in this state for violation of the provisions of the food control act. The Stephenson Flour Company of Atlanta is suspended from doing business to a probationary period of 30 days.

The order suspending their license is as follows:

Stephenson Flour Company, Atlanta, Ga.

United States Food Administrator, License No. G-36613, as a broker in flour, granted you under the provisions of section 5 of the act of congress of August 10, 1917, known as the food control act, and the proclamation of the president of the United States, dated October 8, 1917, is hereby suspended to take effect at 2 o'clock noon, Friday, February 8, 1918.

This suspension to continue in effect until noon of March 8, 1918.

ANDREW M. SOULE,
Federal Food Administrator for Georgia.
February 7, 1918.

For some time the food administration has received reports of improper practices by flour brokers, 15 cases being investigated this week. The most flagrant case, it is stated, was that of the Stephenson Flour company, doing business as brokers, but who were found to have engaged in the practice of buying flour for their own account, holding it for speculative rise in the market and reselling it within the trade in the same line as wholesalers.

Recently Dr. Soule announced his intention of breaking up this, among other improper practices, and gave warning that the administration would prefer the voluntary patriotic co-operation in the administration of the food control regulations, but where that should not obtain the administration would employ the corrective machinery provided by the act of congress.

The case of the Stephenson company, representing some of the largest flour milling plants, was gone into thoroughly, and the conclusions reached were that this was one of the most flagrant cases so far probed into, in that the company has repeatedly violated the regulations in more than one way.

In passing the order suspending the company from business for a probationary period, Dr. Soule has not permanently put the company out of business, but permits them, through compliance with terms he has laid down, to re-enter the business after 30 days on the terms provided by the food administration. In the meantime, violation of the restrictions imposed by the administration during the period of 30 days, or thereafter, subjects the concern against whom the rule has been issued to liability to the further penalty up to $5,000.

The restrictions under which the concern is to pass its period of probation, as handed to them by the food administration, are as follows:

Stephenson Flour Company, 1117 Healey Building, Atlanta, Ga.

Your license having been suspended until March 8, 1918, all dealings by you in food stuffs subject to license, after 12 o'clock, February 8, 1918, will be illegal. The penalties for operating without a license are a fine not exceeding $5,000 or imprisonment for not more than two years or both. You are hereby advised that any violation will be referred to the department of justice for immediate prosecution.

In spite of the fact that you have admittedly sold food commodities in violation of the rule which provides that all licensed commodities shall be sold at a reasonable profit above cost without regard to the market or replacement value thereof and that you have conducted a jobbing business under a brokerage license and that you have been guilty of sales within the trade in violation of the rules, as well as other trade practices not consistent with the rules of the United States food administration, you may at the completion of the period of suspension herein named again engage in business as a broker, handling licensed food commodities under your present license, according to the rules of the administration, provided there has been no effort to evade the spirit of this order, and you ask for and secure our approval. We prefer to err on the side of leniency.

For your guidance, between February 8, 1918, and March 8, 1918, I gave you the following instructions:

1. After 12 o'clock, noon, February 8, 1918, you are to deal with all goods subject to license then remaining in your possession or control and until March 8, 1918, in accordance with the directions of Vassar Woolley, assistant food administrator for Fulton county, whom I hereby appoint as my representative in this connection.

2. You will post conspicuously at the entrance to your place of business a notice to the effect that your license has been suspended.

3. You will carefully conform to any further instructions from me or my representative aforesaid.

4. You and all other persons are particularly warned against any attempt to evade the intent and purpose of this punitive measure whether by carrying on your business in other names through other agencies, or otherwise.

Yours,
ANDREW M. SOULE,
Federal Food Administrator for Georgia.

MORTUARY

Dawson Brown.

Dawson Brown, the 15-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brown, died Wednesday night at the residence, 108 Stonewall street. The body was removed to the chapel of Harry G. Poole.

B. L. Wade, Jr.

B. L. Wade, Jr., the 1-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Wade, died Wednesday night at the residence, 25 Rockyford street, Kirkwood. The body was removed to the chapel of Greenberg & Bond.

Mrs. C. C. Cronic.

Mrs. C. C. Cronic, 28 years old, of 383 Glenwood avenue, died Thursday morning at 3 o'clock at a private hospital. She is survived by her husband and four children. The body was removed to the chapel of Harry G. Poole.

Thomas B. Garrett.

Thomas B. Garrett, 63 years old, died Thursday morning at the residence, 136 Oliver street. He is survived by his widow; three sons, J. D., J. T. and L. M. Garrett, and one daughter, Mrs. J. L. Pittman. The body was removed to the chapel of Harry G. Poole.

Harry E. Fisher, Jr.

News reached Atlanta Thursday of the death in Boston Wednesday of Harry E. Fisher, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fisher, former residents of Atlanta. The interment will take place at Lawrence, Mass.

Mrs. George Prattes.

Mrs. George Prattes, 30 years old, of 71 Kennedy street, died Thursday night at 9 o'clock at a private hospital. She is survived by her husband, George Prattes, and one child. The body was removed to the chapel of Harry G. Poole.

Miss Minnie Clark.

Miss Minnie May Clark, 17 years old died Thursday afternoon at the residence, 55 Cameron street. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clarke, one brother, B. J. Clark, and three sisters, Misses Effie, Lois and Mary. The body was removed to the chapel of Hunter & Hemperley.

John B. Thurman.

John B. Thurman, 54 years old, died Thursday night at the residence, 38 Capitol avenue. He is survived by his wife, one brother, Jim Thurman; two half-brothers, Arch and Tom Houston, and one sister, Mrs. Josie Nichols. The body was removed to the chapel of Barclay & Brandon.

Mrs. Mary J. Hill.

Mrs. Mary J. Hill, 72 years old, died Thursday night at 6 o'clock at the residence, 94 Whiteford avenue. She is survived by two sons, D. A. and A. W. Hill, and four daughters, Miss Fannie Hill, Mrs. J. M. Webb, Mrs. Emma Moore and Mrs. J. L. Gilstrap. The body was removed to the chapel of Barclay & Brandon.

Dr. G. W. Hammond.

Franklin, Ga., February 7.—(Special.) Dr. G. W. Hammond, a prominent physician of this city, died Wednesday after an illness of ten days from pneumonia. He was born and reared at Lafayette, Ala., and moved to this county about 35 years ago. Since that time he has enjoyed a large practice and was well thought of. He leaves a widow and five children.

Joseph T. Carter, Jr.

Waycross, Ga., February 7.—(Special.)—The body of Joseph T. Carter, Jr., of Thomasville, who died at the Atlantic Coast Line hospital here Tuesday night, was taken to Naylor this morning, where the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will conduct the funeral. Interment will be at Good Hope church. The deceased is survived by his widow and one child.

SOLDIERS INVITED TO VALENTINE BALL

A valentine ball, to which all soldiers holding cards are invited, will be given at the Decatur Athletic club, at 8:30 o'clock, Saturday, February 9, under the direction of the Decatur committee on Training Camp activities, of which Mrs. Hugh H. Trotti is chairman.

The decorations, refreshments and favors will be appropriate for the occasion, while the enjoyment of the evening will be increased by the music which will be furnished by the Jazz Band, of the 319th Field Artillery.

CONGRESSMAN RAINEY TO SPEAK IN ATLANTA

Henry D. Rainey, congressman from Illinois, will be in Atlanta to deliver an address on February 21. He is to speak to a joint meeting of the chamber o fcommerce and the Atlanta Retail Merchants' association, and was prevailed upon to pay this visit to Atlanta through the influence of Congressman William Schley Howard.

Mr. Rainey is vice chairman of the ways and means committee. He is particularly well informed on our foreign relations and is a most forceful speaker. His address is to be delivered at the Auditorium.

Auto Thieves Got Hudson.

F. E. Calloway, 46 East North avenue, reported to the police Thursday morning that his car, a Hudson Super Six, was stolen Wednesday night. Mr. Calloway stated that he had left his car in front of the Georgian Terrace for a few minutes and returned to find it had been stolen.

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LODGE NOTICES

There will be special communication of Battle Hill Lodge, No. 428, this (Friday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Work in Master Mason degree. All duly qualified brethren cordially invited.

J. A. MABLE, W. M.
J. E. GARRISON, Secretary.

A special communication of Lakewood Lodge, No. 442, F. & A. M., will be held in its hall at Lakewood Heights this (Friday) evening, February 8, 1918, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of conferring the Master Mason's degree. All duly qualified brethren cordially and fraternally invited to meet with us. By order of

FRED F. EDWARDS, W. M.
W. J. GROGAN, Secretary.

The regular communication of Piedmont Lodge, No. 447, F. & A. M., will be held in Masonic Temple this (Friday) evening at 6:30 o'clock. The degree of Master Mason will be conferred. All Master Masons duly qualified are fraternally invited to meet with us.

M. S. JOHNSON, W. M.
H. M. WOOD, Secretary.

Ararat Grotto, No. 64, meets tonight at 8 o'clock, in Masonic Temple, West End. Take Whitehall or any suburban car on East Point route. Get off at Gordon street. Every prophet who has become a member of the Grotto since May, 1915, is urged to be present with or without your card. Wear your fez. Your presence will be appreciated.

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Phone Main 4100.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

FISHER—Died February 6, Boston, Mass., Henry E. Fisher, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Fisher, formerly of Atlanta. Interment private, Lawrence, Massachusetts.

CRONIC—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cronic and family are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. C. Cronic this (Friday) afternoon at 2 o'clock from the chapel of Harry G. Poole. Interment Marvin churchyard.

BROWN—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brown and family are invited to attend the funeral of their little son, Dawson, this (Friday) morning at 10 o'clock from the residence, 108 Stonewall street. Interment Greenwood cemetery, Harry G. Poole, funeral directors, in charge.

GARRETT—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pittman are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Thomas B. Garrett this (Friday) afternoon, February 8, 1918, at 1:30 o'clock, from the residence, 136 Oliver street. Interment Sylvester cemetery. Harry G. Poole, funeral directors, in charge.

GLOVER—Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Bergstrom, Mr., and Mrs. Henry McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Preston are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. James B. Glover today (Friday), February 8, 1918, at 3 p. m., from the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son. The Rev. J. W. Ham will officiate. The interment will be in West View. The following gentlemen will act as pallbearers and meet at the chapel at 2:45 o'clock: Mr. Henry McKinnon, Mr. Lonnie Preston, Mr. William Brown, Mr. Ross Buran, Mr. D. C. Conklin and Mr. J. H. Gary.

CAVERLY—Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Caverly and family, Mrs. Annie F. Register, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin W. Tye and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Caverly and family are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Charles E. Caverly today (Friday), February 8, 1918, at 11 a. m., from the residence of Mr. John L. Tye, 740 Peachtree street. The Rev. Father McOscar and Dr. Richard Orme Flinn will officiate. The interment will be at West View. The following gentlemen will please act as pallbearers and meet at the office of H. M. Patterson & Son at 10:30 o'clock: Mr. Shepard Bryan, Mr. Louis H. Beck, Mr. Frank Ellis, Mr. Charles Sciple, Mr. T. B. Paine and Mr. C. B. Derby.

HARMAN—The relatives and friends of Mrs. Apsyllah Ann Harman, Mrs. Mary H. Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Harman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Orme, Miss Evelyn Orme, Mr. William Harman Black, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Black and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Black are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. Apsyllah Ann Harman from the home of her son, Mr. Charles E. Harman, 869 Peachtree street, Saturday morning, February 9, 1918, at 11 o'clock. Dr. Chas. W. Daniel will officiate. The following grandsons of Mrs. Harman will act as pallbearers: Mr. William Harman Black, Mr. A. J. Orme, Mr. E. R. Black, Mr. C. H. Black, Mr. Chas. H. Cox, Mr. Troupe Cox and Mr. H. O. Cox.

LUPO—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Lupo, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Bell, Miss Lillian Lupo, Miss Patsy Lupo, Mrs. Nannie Schumpert, of Newberry, S. C.; Messrs. J. R. and James Lupo, of Greenville, S. C.; Mrs. J. D. Aiken, of Monticello, S. C.; Mrs. Mattie Aiken, of Columbia, S. C.; Mrs. A. B. Gish, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whitlock, of Spokane, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McGrew are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Edward D. Lupo today (February 8, 1918), at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, from St. Mark's Methodist Episcopal church. The following named gentlemen will please act as honorary pallbearers and meet at the residence, 583 Ponce de Leon avenue: Mr. J. C. Symmes, Dr. J. W. Hurt, Mr. W. S. McKemie and Mr. J. B. Osburn. The following named gentlemen will please act as pallbearers and meet at the residence: Mr. S. F. Boykin, Mr. A. C. Woolley, Mr. Charles R. Winship, Mr. W. F. Crusselle, Mr. J. F. Humphries, Dr. Thomas Crenshaw. The stewards of St. Mark's church will please act as honorary escort and meet at the church. The interment, in West View cemetery, will be private. Drs. W. R. Hendrix and A. M. Hughlett will officiate. Limousines will leave Barclay & Brandon's at 9:45 o'clock.

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